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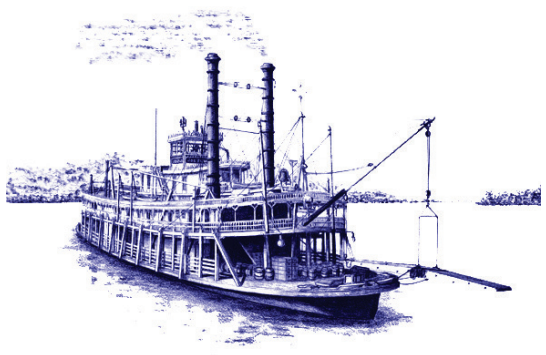

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BPWS receive update on unsafe structures

Vetrhus voices concern over status of historic structures

BY BOB DEMAREE

With an ongoing emphasis on blight elimination, Mayor Bob Courtney on Monday provided an update to the city's Board of Public Works and Safety including a report by the city's code enforcement officer noting that 116 unsafe structures have been identified in the city with seven of those demolished over the last six months.

At the end of the meeting, Madison resident Jan Vetrhus raised questions concerning the seven demolitions and asked how many structures in the city's National Historic Landmark District have been or are scheduled for demolition. She said the report should designate which historic structures are identified as unsafe and targeted for demolition.

Courtney promised to provide that information, stating that all of the demolitions were voluntary.

Code Enforcement Officer Duey O'Neal said that of the 116 unsafe structures, there are 13 properties in which the notice of violation has gone unanswered and eight properties in which efforts are continuing towards meeting with the owner. He noted that seven of the properties are in the PACE application process while the remaining unsafe structures "we're just working through the neglected, unsafe process."

That's a large universe of properties to deal with. I wish we had a greater percentage of owner collaboration," Courtney said. "I'm very happy with the level that we do have because that's what makes the difference when you get the owner engaged in creating a plan. There's too many on that list that don't have plans and don't have the collaboration that we need. But we need to keep prioritizing and dealing with the worst of the worst."

Courtney said the city's efforts towards blight elimination — along with PACE program — "has made a big difference in moving dilapidated, abandoned properties off of that list" that are now being rehabilitated. "It's bringing hundreds of thousands of dollars in new investment and it's evident as you drive around town. You'll see some of those formerly abandoned structures now being worked on. And the worst of the worst that are unsafe with no plan by the owner, sometimes you have to demolish the ones that are not going to be maintained. Nineteen have been abated by the owner.

Monday was the last BPWS meeting for Landon Ralston as the city's full-time building inspector since this is his final week as a city employee before beginning a new position. Nicole Schell, the city's director of planning, said the city is working to find Ralston's replacement but that he has agreed to continue to work part-time for the city until a new building inspector is hired.

Courtney commended Ralston for the work he has done for the city. "I want to recognize the work that Landon has done in leading us through an extremely important initiative, and helping us identify how significant the universe of unsafe properties is in the city of Madison. If you can see the pictures and images of some of these properties, it's shocking that they've been allowed to deteriorate for decades without any intervention. And now we're trying to intervene so they can be saved. Working with Duey and Nicole — Landon, you've made a big difference in our progress towards that."

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The Chandler has its grand opening

Bob Demaree

After serving as a livery stable, a bottling company and more recently as a warehouse for newsprint and ink the last 50 years for The Madison Courier, The Chandler Hotel, 111 East Second Street, was unveiled to the public with a grand opening on Thursday. The building, purchased in 2021 by Matt and Dan Chandler, has been converted into a boutique hotel featuring a rooftop terrace, fitness room, spacious gathering areas and five guest rooms initially before a second phase will later add three more rooms downstairs that are ADA accessible. One of the owners, Daniel Chandler (tan suit), greets guests in the hotel lobby. See more photos on page A4.

Commission begins exploring county issues

BY BOB DEMAREE

The county's Health and Human Relations Commission held its first meeting Thursday with plans to continue exploring ways to address issues impacting Jefferson County.

"How do we want to reach out and help folks?" Commissioner David Bramer, asked. "We want to make Jefferson County a nice place to live," and it's a matter of exploring ways to continually do that.

Bramer said establishing the commission was part of the county's comprehensive plan adopted in May of 2021 and "independent of the comprehensive plan" in that there were people who had approached the Commissioners about whether there were any plans to establish such a commission. "It's nice to have people support the ideas that were put together in the comprehensive plan."

Five of the nine board members were in attendance — Bramer, Amanda Chandler, Cami Keltch, Tomeka Livers and Dr. Scott Murphy — for

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$115K awarded for Kysoc, Cartmell projects

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Carroll County and Carrollton were among 37 projects receiving funds to enhance accessibility and upgrade parks and recreation spaces throughout the Commonwealth of Kentucky.

Carroll County was awarded $75,000 to repair an existing foot bridge located at the former Camp Kysoc that is being developed into a county park and recreation area. The bridge connects two different parts of the property, which is located just across KY 227 from the state's General Butler State Resort Park.

Carrollton is also receiving $40,000 to purchase and install inclusive playground equipment at Richard B. Cartmell Elementary School, locaded on U.S. 42 east.

"Every Kentuckian deserves access to safe and well-maintained outdoor spaces to enjoy with their family," said Kentucky Gov. Andy Beshear. "These funds have been improving our parks for years, and we're starting to see projects come to fruition that I recommended at the start of my administration. We'll continue to make our public parks a priority across Kentucky."

To receive the federal funds, which are administered at the state level by the Department for Local Government, selected applicants must undergo federal review and receive approval from the National Park Service.

21st Ribberfest Lineup announced

BY THE COURIER STAFF

The lineup is set for the 21st annual Madison's Ribberfest BBQ & Blues Festival on Friday and Saturday Aug. 18-19.

The North Mississippi Allstars will be the headliner on Saturday, Aug. 19, taking the Bicentennial Park stage at 9:30 p.m. The band was slated to play at last year's Ribberfest a rain delay forced postponement of the performance.

Other Saturday bands will include Gary Applegate and Joe Rock at 11:30 a.m., Travllin Mojos at 1:30 p.m., Bleu Phonque at 3:30 p.m., Johanna Connor at 5:30 p.m., and Blood Brother-Mike Zito and Albert Castiglia at 7:30 p.m.

The Friday, Aug. 18 headliner will be Tower of Power at 10 p.m.

Other Friday bands will include Mississippi Heat at 6 p.m. and Victor Wainwright and The Train at 8 p.m.

There will be BBQ competitions along the riverfront Friday morning through Saturday afternoon. The amateurs will compete in the Backyard BBQ Blast on Friday with youngsters competing on Saturday morning in the Kidz "Q" before the Indiana State Championship for professionals is contested Saturday afternoon.

Ribberfest tickets are now on sale. A two-day pass that includes $10 in food tickets, while the supply lasts, is $50 until July 1. From July 2-Aug. 17, tickets will be $50 for a two-day pass that does not include food tickets. Tickets at the gate on the days of the event, Aug. 18-19, will cost $60.

Wristbands may be purchased online at madisonribberfest.com.

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JEFFERSON COUNTY JAIL

LODGINGS

April 27, 2023

James Robert Baird, 64, Madison, for Driving While Suspended-Prior Suspension Within 10 Years, a Class A misdemeanor; and on a 15-day hold. Bond $2,500 cash.

Everett Shawn Blais, 47, Madison, for Possession of a Firearm by a Serious Convicted Felon, a Level 4 felony; and Possession of Marijuana, a Class B misdemeanor. Bond $25,000 cash.

Jayvontay Taray Chase, 33, Hanover, on a Jefferson County, Indiana, arrest warrant. Bond $2,500 cash.

April 28, 2023

Garry A. Horn, 44, Madison, for Domestic Battery, a Level 6 felony. No bond.

Justin Allan Ledbetter, 27, Madison, for Driving While Suspended-Prior Suspension Within 10 Years, a Class A misdemeanor; and on a 15-day hold. No bond.

April 29, 2023

Everett Lee Tucker, 62, Madison, for Maintaining a Common Nuisance, a Level 6 felony; Possession of Paraphernalia, a Class C misdemeanor; and on a bench warrant. No bond.

JEFFERSON COUNTY SUPERIOR/CIRCUIT COURT

SENTENCINGS

April 21, 2023

Vincent Lee Wiefling, 32, Madison, for Operating A Vehicle Without Ever Receiving a License-Prior Conviction, a Class A misdemeanor. Sentenced to 180 days jail with credit for 2 days served and 178 days suspended for non-reporting probation plus $235.50 in fees and court costs.

Brenda Sue Fugate, 61, Lawrenceburg, Indiana, for Disorderly Conduct and Public Intoxication, both Class B misdemeanors. Sentenced to 8 days jail, all served, plus $185 in fees and court costs.

Adam W. Oeffinger, 44, Madison, to amended charge of Operating a Vehicle While Intoxicated-Endangerment, a Class A misdemeanor. Sentenced to 365 days jail with credit for 8 days served and 357 days suspended for supervised probation plus $485.50 in fees and court costs and driver's license suspended for 90 days.

April 24, 2023

Tammy Sue Weston, 48, Madison, for Knowingly Driving While Suspended-Previous Conviction Within 10 Years, a Class A misdemeanor. Sentenced to 180 days jail, all suspended for 180 days non-reporting probation plus $185.50 in fees and court costs.

Travis Lee Beasley, 42, homeless, to amended charge of Possession of Marijuana, a Class B misdemeanor. Sentenced to zero days jail plus $385 in fees and court costs.

April 25, 2023

Karrie N. Miller, 35, Hanover, for Possession of Methamphetamine, a Level 6 felony. Sentenced to 540 days at Indiana Department of Correction with credit for 6 days served and 534 days suspended for supervised probation plus $885 in fees and court costs.

Robert Wayne Wood Sr., 59, Aurora, Indiana, for Possession of Methamphetamine-2 Separate Counts, both Level 6 felonies. Sentenced to 540 days at Indiana Department of Correction on each count, consecutive, with credit for 46 days served and a total of 1,034 days suspended for supervised probation plus $885 in fees and court costs.

Eric Joshua Shelton, 21, Madison, to an amended charge of Battery, a Class B misdemeanor. Sentenced to 180 days jail with credit for 8 days served and 172 days suspended for supervised probation plus $285 in fees and court costs.

April 26, 2023

Steven Wayne O'Neal, 35, Madison, to amended charge of Burglary, a Level 5 felony. Court revokes previously suspended sentence of 6 years at Indiana Department of Correction and grants credit for 1,044 days served.

Darren Keith Stewart, 50, Madison, to amended charge of Possession of Methamphetamine, a Level 4 felony plus revocation of previous suspended sentenced. Sentenced to 1,821 days at Indiana Department of Correction with credit for 29 days served plus $885 in fees and court costs.

Michael Karnuth, 34, North Vernon, Indiana, found guilty by jury of Murder, a Level 1 felony; Committing a Felony While a Member of a Criminal Gang, an enhancement; and Obstruction of Justice, a Level 6 felony. Sentenced to a total of 120 years at Indiana Department of Correction with enhancement, all executed, with credit for 828 days served.

April 27, 2023

Douglas Wayne Smith, 53, Madison, to an amended charge of Child Solicitation-Solicitation to Engage in Sexual Intercourse or Other Sexual Conduct, a Level 4 felony, Sentenced to 6 years at Indiana Department of Correction, all executed, with credit for 248 days served plus $285 in fees and court costs.

Chance Lloyd Goodwin, 28, North Vernon, Indiana, to amended charge of Unlawful Possession of a Syringe, a Level 6 felony. Sentenced to 540 days at Indiana Department of Correction with credit for 8 days served and 532 days suspended for supervised probation plus $485 in fees and court costs.

May 1, 2023

Tammy Sue Weston, 48, Madison, to an amended charge of Knowingly Driving While Suspended-Prior Conviction Within 10 Years, a Class A misdemeanor; and Possession of Marijuana, a Class B misdemeanor. Sentenced to 90 days on each charge, concurrent, with credit for 10 days served with balance suspended for 270 days supervised probation plus $385.50 in fees and court costs.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

JEFFERSON COUNTY

April 21, 2023

Wade Stuart, Janus S. Stewart Moreillon (deceased) and Janus S. Stewart Moreillon to Wade Stuart, Tony Swafford and Terry Swafford, 852 East Street, Madison.

Wade Stuart, Tony Swafford and Terry Swafford to Wade Stuart, 852 East Street, Madison.

Liter Properties LLC to Morgan H. Gammons and Aries J. Gammons, 508 East Street, Madison.

Leonard Shelton and Belinda Shelton to Leonard Shelton, Belinda Shelton and Lindsay A. Shelton, 5.5 acres at 10368 West Polk Road, Lexington.

Michael Stout, Rita Stout and Michael Stout and Rita Stout (living trust) to DMS Holdings LLC, 228 Sunrise Drive, Madison.

April 24, 2023

Dwight David Hollet and Jessica Lauren Holley to Alana Wilson and Leroy Wilson III, 122 Cherry Trace, Madison.

Guy F. Goubeaux to Michelle Goudeaux, 1393 East 400 North, Madison.

Anthony Clyde Wood to David C. Greulich and David C. Greulich (revocable trust), 2.245 acres at 8663 East Brushy Fork Road, Madison.

Roy Dale Stein and Helen F. Stein to Roy Michael Stein, Larry Dale Stein and David Ryan Stein, 40 acres at 8000+ West Jones Road, Hanover.

The Escada Trust (defendant), Mary Rita Wish and Kathie Wish Petkovic (trustees) and Kathie Wish Petkovic to State of Indiana, at 215 Ferry Street, Madison ($1,150).

Sheriff of Jefferson County Ben Flint, Jefferson County Sheriff Ben Flint, Carol Ann Key and Paul J. Key (estate) to Caleb Harsin, Traci Harsin and Jon Harsin, 221 Sharp Street, Hanover.

April 25, 2023

David E. Schwartz, Mary D. Schwartz, David J. Schwartz, Amy R. Schwartz, Amos J. Schwartz and Sovilla Schwartz to Amos J. Schwartz and Sovilla Schwartz, approximately 122.5 acres in two tracts at 9000+ North Brushy Fork Road and 7600+ North Shaw Hollow Road, Canaan.

Ford Family Farm LP, Melvin Ford and Deborah Ford to Koty Clubb, 2.37 acres at 5220 North Graham Road, Madison.

John H. Graber Jr and Bertha J. Graber to Mose V. Shetler and Margaret EJ Shetler, 28.48 acres at 2257 South 100 West, Lexington

Mark T. Morrow, Julie Ann Hazelgrove and Daniel William Morrow to Daniel William Morrow and Erika L. Morrow, approximately 7.5 acres in two tracts at 6954 North Little Rest Farm Road, Madison.

Lynn D. Pennington, Michele D. Pennington and Penni-Lane Properties LLC to Pennilane Properties LLC, 227 West Main Street, Madison.

Daniel W. Morrow, Dawna M. Morrow and Dawna W. Morrow-Jackson to Daniel W. Morrow and Erika L. Morrow, 4.79 acres at 5900+ North 933 West, Deputy.

Gosman Realty LLC to Ashey N. Gosman, 2.917 acres at 5015 North Olive Branch Road, Madison.

Diane Rush to Diane Rush (trustee) and Frank Rush and Diane Rush (living trust), 515 Hanover Drive, Hanover.

Tony S. Langdon and Sue A. Langdon to Shelli L. Collier-Reetz, approximately 2.37 acres in three tracts at 3981 North Old State Road 62, Madison.

April 26, 2024

Douglas Harrell to Toby M. Harrell and Morgan M. Harrell, 3.869 acres at 4510 West 700 North, Madison.

Douglas Harrell to Douglas Harrell and Diane K. Harrell, 58.5 acres at 4510 West 700 North, Madison.

Janice Buchanan, Karen D. Buchanan, James E. Buchanan and Betty J. Buchanan to Mark K. Lee and Carol Lee, 2.12 acres at 7000+ North Bacon Ridge Road, Canaan.

Tiffany Anderson to Timothy M. Anderson, 10945 North West Front Street, Dupont.

Timothy M. Anderson to Civil Town of Dupont, Town of Dupont and Dupont Town, 10945 North West Front Street, Dupont.

Harlen D. Wehner and Pauline D. Wehner to Chris Alan Wehner, 2444 Taylor Street, Madison.

Jared Yoder and Rosanna Yoder to Brent E. Smith and Julie R. Smith, 8.197 acres at 6600+ South Saluda Paynesville Road, Hanover.

Elizabeth Bryan to Jeremy Lichlyter, 10 acres at 9029 West Chicken Run Road, Madison.

April 28, 2024

Lisa Dean to Bobby Cook, 6354 West State Road 56, Hanover.

Hanover police make drug, auto theft arrests

BY THE COURIER STAFF

A traffic stop by Hanover Police last Wednesday resulted in the arrest of Robert Wayne Behne and Anthony J. Behne on narcotics charges.

Robert Behne, 33, Madison, was charged with Possession of Methamphetamine less the 5 grams, a Level 5 Felony, and Possession of Marijuana, a Class A Misdemeanor.

Anthony Behne, 49, Hanover, was charged with Possession of Methamphetamine 10 to 28 grams, a Level 4 felony, and Unlawful Possession of a Syringe, a Level 6 Felony.

In another arrest on Monday, April 24, an investigation by Hanover Police related to a stolen vehicle resulted in the arrest of Alicia Dawn Nicole Clutter, 19, Madison.

Clutter has been charged with Auto Theft, a Level 6 Felony. A jury trial is scheduled for July 18.

Campus Connection

Bob Demaree

Construction continued Friday on the new educational wing that will serve as a connector between the Switzerland County Middle School and Switzerland County High School buildings on their campus in Vevay. The project is the result of a concern about weather and safety with middle school students needing to move to the high school building at different times for classes. Plans are for the new educational wing to be ready for student use at the end of the first semester of the 2023-2024 school year.

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COMMUNITY CALENDAR

MUSIC
Drum 'n Wind
First Christian Church
512 West Main St., Madison

Saturday, May 6 — 7 p.m.

The duo of Jamal Mohamed on percussion and Jonathan Jones on woodwinds will be perform. Admission is free to the Madison Performing Arts Foundation event but donations are appreciated.

LECTURES
Cornelius and Anna Cook O'Brien Lecture

Hanover College Duggan Library

Tuesday, May 9 — 3 p.m.

Indiana University English Professor Jonathan Elmer will present "In Poe's Wake: Form, Media and Graphic Horror," to help celebrate Hanover's acquisition of a first edition of "The Works of the late Edgar Allan Poe: with Notices of his Life and Genius," the first published collection of the famed American author's works. The lecture is free and open to the public.

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WEATHER

Sunrise: 6:41 a.m.
Sunset: 8:35 p.m.
Temperature: High 53, Low 42, Mean 47.5, Deficit 18.1
Precipitation since last published: 1.05
Precipitation, April 2023: 3.64
Precipitation, 2023: 19.95
Barometer: 29.34, Falling
River Level at Clifty Creek: 421.7, Falling
Forecast: Wednesday: Partly cloudy High 61/Low 37; Thursday: Mostly sunny High 67/Low 43; Friday: Showers High 67/Low 49.

BIRTHDAYS

Editor's Note: Got a birthday or anniversary coming up? Send name, date and number of years (optional) to zelda@madisoncourier.com or call 812-265-3641. Please leave your name and phone number in case we have followup questions.

MAY 3
Dave Adams

MAY 7
Rodney Nay

MAY 10
Kevin Yancey

LOTTERY

INDIANA
Hoosier Lotto: 2-5-17-22-34-39 (4/29). Next Estimated Jackpot: $16 million. Next Drawing (5/3).
Cash Five: 22-23-32-33-38 (4/30)
Cash 4 Life: 1-29-30-354-55 CB: 1 (4/30)

KENTUCKY
Cash Ball: 16-17-20-29 CB: 2 (4/30)
Kentucky 5 Extra: 7-10-13-24-25 (4/30)
Lucky For Life: 8-11-30-37-47 LB: 13 (4/30)

POWERBALL
16-53-54-57-65 PB: 8, PP: 2 (4/29). Next Estimated Jackpot: $60 million. Next Drawing (5/1)
POWERBALL DOUBLE PLAY: 3-13-36-50-61 PB: 16 (4/29). Next Estimated Jackpot: Up to $10 million. Next Drawing (5/1)

MEGAMILLIONS
18-38-53-62-64 MB: 20, MP x3 (4/28). Next Jackpot: $52 million. Next Drawing (5/2)

OBITUARIES

Judy Keith

Judy Lynn Rayl Keith, 80, of Hanover, Indiana, died Friday, April 28, 2023, at her home in Hanover.

She was born on Feb. 24, 1943, in Vevay, Indiana, to George Hopkins and Hallie C. Henry Rayl. She was raised in Switzerland County and attended Vevay High School there. She married Danny Carroll Keith on July 22, 1972, in Carrollton, Kentucky, and had resided the past 50 years in Jefferson County, Indiana, and had worked for 20 years at Grote Industries as a machine operator and previously at U.S. Shoe Corporation in downtown Madison. She worked early in life as a waitress for Madison Country Club, the Hillside Inn and The Pines Restaurant. She was a Christian and collected Beanie Babies, loved watching and feeding the birds, planting flowers, watching crime shows and going to Belterra Casino.

Survivors include her husband of 50 years of Hanover; her sons, Troy Waters of Vine Grove, Kentucky and Todd Waters of Batesville, Indiana; her daughters, Teresa Duke of Lexington, Indiana and Tamara "Tammy" M. Dattilo of Madison; and nine grandchildren, 10 great grandchildren, several nieces, nephews and other relatives.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her brother, Harvey Hopkins Rayl on Dec. 17, 1975; and her sisters, Mary Elizabeth Leap on Aug. 28, 2007 and Norma Lee Slack on Nov. 19, 2011.

Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. on Thursday, May 4, at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre in Madison. Interment will follow in the Grandview Memorial Gardens near Madison. Visitation is 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. on Wednesday and 10 a.m. until the time of service on Thursday at the funeral home.

Memorial contributions may be made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital through the funeral home. Online condolences and memorials, www.morgan-nay.com.

Ira Todd

Ira William Todd, 77, of Madison, Indiana, died Saturday, April 29, 2023, at the Robley Rex Veterans Medical Center in Louisville.

Funeral services will be at 1 p.m. on Saturday, May 6, at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre in Madison. Interment will follow in the Indiana Veterans Memorial Cemetery in Madison. Visitation is 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. on Friday and 11 a.m. until the time of service on Saturday at the funeral home.

A final salute with military honors will be provided by the Major Samuel Woodfill Madison Post No. 9 of the American Legion.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Robley Rex Veterans Administration Medical Center through the funeral home. Online condolences and memorials, www.morgan-nay.com.

Carolyn Callis

Carolyn Jane Coker Callis, 69, of Madison, Indiana, died Friday, April 28, at University of Cincinnati Hospital in Cincinnati.

She was born on July 23, 1953, in Madison, to Isom "Ike" Coker Jr. and Alma Jean Kinman Coker. She was raised in Madison and had resided there all of her life. She married Danny R. Callis Sr. on June 16, 1970, and they had two daughters and a son. She was employed with the Key West Shrimp House in downtown Madison for 27 years as head cook. She was a member of the Major Samuel Woodfill Madison Post No. 9 of the American Legion and was a Baptist. She enjoyed playing cards — especially Euchre and Phase Ten — being with her grandchildren and riding in the RZR.

Survivors include her daughters, Dawn Geisler and Elisha Sullivan, both of Madison; her son, Danny R. Callis Jr. of Lexington; a brother, Kenny Coker of Madison; and 13 grandchildren, 13 great grandchildren, her nephews and nieces and other relatives.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband of 51 years on Sept. 6, 2021; two brothers, Robert Leslie "Bobby" Coker on April 14, 1951 and Steven Wayne "Steve" Coker on Nov. 28, 2012; and a sister, Barbara Jean Coker on Aug. 4, 1971,

Funeral services will be at 1 p.m. on Friday, May 5, at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre in Madison. Interment will follow in the Indiana Veterans Memorial Cemetery in Madison. Visitation is 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. on Thursday and noon until the time of service on Friday at the funeral home.

Memorial contributions may be made to a charity of the donor's choice through the funeral home. Online condolences and memorials, www.morgan-nay.com.

Shannon Mahoney

Shannon Dale Mahoney, 47, of Louisville, died unexpectedly on Saturday, March 25, 2023, at University of Louisville Hospital in Louisville.

He was born on Sept. 4, 1975, in Louisville, to Richard C. Mahoney and Ellen G. Baker Mahoney of Carrollton, Kentucky. He had worked as a self-employed sub-contractor and especially as a roofer. He was of the Pentecostal faith and enjoyed building and crafting things with his hands. He loved to play the guitar and sing and spend time with his children.

Survivors include two sons, Calvin Mahoney of Columbus, Ohio and Shannon D. Mahoney Jr. of Carrollton; six daughters, Tyler Mahoney and Paige Mahoney, both of Columbus, Cosondra Mahoney of Carrollton, Katlynn Mahoney of Worthville, Kentucky, Jennifer Mahoney of Frankfort, Kentucky and Amaya R. Mahoney of Louisville; a sister, Lorrie Ann Hayden of Louisville; and two grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his father and a son, David B. Mahoney.

Funeral arrangements will be announced by the Tandy-Eckler-Riley Funeral Home in Carrollton, www.tandyeckler-rileyfuneralhome.com.

Wilma Richey

Wilma L. Richey, 66, of Lexington, Indiana, died Thursday, April 27, 2023 at Clark Memorial Hospital in Jeffersonville, Indiana.

She was born on Nov. 12, 1956, in Madison, Indiana, to Carl and Lena Spencer Bailey. She married Marvin Dale Richey on n Oct. 10, 1973, in Scottsburg, Indiana. She was currently a manager at Walmart in Scottsburg and had been employed by Walmart for 19 years. She was a Christian and enjoyed traveling with her husband for 22 years when he drove his semi-truck around the country and going to car shows. She loved animals, especially her dogs,

Survivors include her husband of 49 years of Lexington; a daughter, Marla Jones of Salem, Indiana; five siblings, John Bailey of Blocher, Indiana, Shirley Ball of Jeffersonville, Barbara Robbins of Austin, Indiana, Richard Bailey of Indianapolis and Joy Spencer of Sellersburg, Indiana; and a grandson.

She was preceded in death by her parents.

Funeral services will be at 1 p.m. on Wednesday, May 3, at the Adams Family Funeral Homes & Crematory-Scottsburg, with a burial to follow at Scottsburg Cemetery. Visitation is 11 a.m. until the time of services on Wednesday at the funeral home.

Memorial donations may be given to the Humane Society of Scott County through the funeral home. Online condolences, www.adams-funeralhomeonline.com.

Let Us Pause To Honor the Memory of Mr. Brandon Lane Hamilton

Mr. Brandon Lane Hamilton, age 43, of Washington, District of Columbia formerly of Milton, Kentucky entered this life on June 28, 1979 in Madison, Indiana. He was the loving son of Forest Wayne and Glenda Joy Wingham Hamilton. He was raised in Trimble County and graduated in 1997 from Trimble County High School. He received his undergrad in Business Administration from Bellarmine University and his masters in Sociology of Education from University of Louisville. Brandon moved to Oregon in 2014 and served as the Associate Vice President at National University of Natural Medicine, where, according to Gerry Bores, Brandon brought the University into the 21 st century. For the past 18 months Brandon had served as Assistant Director of Enrollment Management at Academy of Hope, a public charter school in Washington D.C. and managed two campuses there at the time of his death. Brandon enjoyed animals, often dog sitting for friends. Brandon died suddenly on Monday, April 24, 2023, at his home in Washington, DC.

A LOVING FAMILY

Brandon will be missed by his loving parents, Forest Wayne and Glenda Joy Wingham Hamilton of Milton, Kentucky; his maternal grandfather, Louis J. Wingham of Madison, Indiana; his brother, Aaron Hamilton and his wife, Tonya of Hobe Sound, Florida; his nieces, Lauren Hamilton Martin and Ethan, Brooklyn Hamilton; his nephews, Lincoln Hamilton, Bryson Hamilton; his uncles and aunts, Freda O'Brian; Brian and her husband Paul of Vincennes, Indiana, Dianna Hamilton of Dover, Arkansas, Tina Wingham of Madison, Indiana, Sharrona Dimmett and her husband, Randy of Cuba, New Mexico, Kim Ford and her husband, Jeff of Madison, Indiana, Keith Pennington of Madison, Indiana; and numerous cousins, other relatives and beloved friends. He was preceded in death by his paternal grandparents, King Hamilton, died 1990 and Marjorie Conover Hamilton, died 2016, his maternal grandmother, Beverly Jean Wheeler Napier, died 1998, his uncle John Hamilton and his wife, Barbara, his maternal step grandma, Florence Pennington Wingham, his uncles, Lane Wingham, Kraig Pennington, Steve Hamilton, and Kevin Pennington

FUNERAL CEREMONY

Funeral services will be conducted on Wednesday, May 3, 2023, at 11:00 a.m. by Rev. J. Stevan Manley at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre, 325 Demaree Drive in Madison, Indiana. Interment will follow in the Bedford Cemetery in Bedford, Kentucky.

VISITATION

Friends may visit Tuesday from 4:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m. and Wednesday from 10:00 a.m. until the time of service at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre, 325 Demaree Drive in Madison, Indiana.

MEMORIAL EXPRESSIONS

Memorial contributions may be made Academy of Hope Adult PCS. Cards are available at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centres of Madison and Hanover. Online condolences, remembrances and memorials can be left at www.morgan-nay.com

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CALENDAR

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2023 Shoemaker Speaker Series

Hanover College Science Center

Thursday, May 18 — 7 p.m.

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FUNDRAISERS

La Casa Amiga

Drive By Hispanic Dinner

Saturday, May 6 — 5:30-7:30 p.m.

Meal pick up will be at the Third Street entrance at Eggleston Community Center, 419 East Street, Madison. Cost is $10 with all proceeds supporting La Casa Amiga to fund free programs for children and adults. Four meal choices available including Mexican, Honduran, Venezuelan and Vegetarian. Individually there will be Pozole or a Guatemalan Tamal at $3 each, aguas frescas at $2, and Tapatio Chips/Salsa at $2.

MUSICIANS SOUGHT

Madison Community Concert Band

The Madison Community Concert Band is recruiting new members and anyone who plays an instrument is welcome to join even if it's been awhile since you have played.

The band rehearses at 7 p.m. on Tuesdays in the basement of the historic Brown Gym on Broadway.

For more information, email mccb.indiana@gmail.com.

FOOD DISTRIBUTIONS

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100 East Second St., Madison

Tuesdays — 5 p.m. to 7 p.m.

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A food giveaway and distribution at the Jefferson County House of Hope Food Pantry in downtown Madison. Please arrive at the pantry 15 minutes prior to closing to be served.

CLOTHING DISTRIBUTIONS

Jesus Clothes Closet

Trinity Methodist Church, Madison

Mondays — 9 a.m. to 11 a.m.

Jesus Clothes Closet at Trinity Methodist Church, 412 W. Main St., will distribute free clothing for those in need each Monday from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. For more information call 812-866-4843.

MADISON SENIOR EVENTS

Madison Senior Citizens Center

208 West Main Street

Game Days

The Madison Senior Citizens Center hosts weekly card days and Bingo at the Senior Citizens Center in downtown Madison. The schedule includes Euchre on Mondays and Thursdays from noon until 10 games are completed and Bingo on Tuesdays from 10 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. The events are free and open to senior citizens.

HANOVER SENIOR EVENTS

Exercising

The Hanover Senior Citizens Program is offering free exercising at Hanover Community Center on Mondays and Thursdays at 10 a.m.

Lunch

The Hanover Senior Citizens Program is serving lunch at noon on Wednesdays and Fridays at the Community Center. Cost is $5 and RSVP is required by calling 812-498-2894.

Let Us Pause To Honor the Memory of Mrs. Judy Lynn Rayl Keith

Mrs. Judy Lynn Rayl Keith, age 80, of Hanover, Indiana entered this life on February 24, 1943 in Vevay, Indiana. She was the loving daughter of the late George Hopkins and Hallie C. Henry Rayl. She was raised in Switzerland County and attended Vevay High School. On July 22, 1972 she was united in marriage to Danny Carroll Keith in Carrollton, Kentucky. She had resided the past 50 years in Jefferson County and had worked for twenty years at Grote Industries as a machine operator and previously at the U.S. Shoe Corporation in downtown Madison. She worked early in life as a waitress for the Madison Country Club, the Hillside Inn, and The Pines Restaurant. She was of the Christian faith and collected beanie babies, loved watching and feeding the birds, planting flowers, watching crime shows and going to Belterra. Judy died suddenly on Friday, April 28, 2023, at 10:47 p.m. at her home in Hanover, Indiana.

A LOVING FAMILY

Judy will be missed by her loving husband of 50 years, Danny Carroll Keith of Hanover, Indiana; her sons, Troy Waters and his wife, Sonja of Vine Grove, Kentucky, Todd Waters and his wife, Leah of Batesville, Indiana; her daughters, Teresa Duke and her husband, Bob of Lexington, Indiana, Tamara "Tammy" M. Dattilo and her husband, Greg of Madison, Indiana; 9-grandchildren; 10-great grandchildren; her brother in law, Larry Keith and his wife, Judy of Sanders, Kentucky; her sister in law, Peggy Hawkins of Carrollton, Kentucky; several nieces, nephews and other relatives. She was preceded in death by her father, George Hopkins Rayl, died May 27, 1975, her mother, Hallie C. Henry Rayl, died June 25, 1991, her brother, Harvey Hopkins Rayl, died December 17, 1975, her sisters, Mary Elizabeth Leap, died August 28, 2007 and Norma Lee Slack, died November 19, 2011.

FUNERAL CEREMONY

Funeral services will be conducted Thursday, May 4, 2023, at 11:00 a.m.,by Pastor Chuck Justice at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre, 325 Demaree Drive in Madison, Indiana. Interment will follow in the Grandview Memorial Gardens in Madison, Indiana

VISITATION

Friends may visit Wednesday from 4:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. and Thursday from 10:00 a.m. until the time of service at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre, 325 Demaree Drive in Madison, Indiana.

MEMORIAL EXPRESSIONS

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The Chandler grand opening

Photos by Bob Demaree

Matt Chandler (center) shares a laugh with guests at the grand opening of The Chandler Hotel last Thursday in downtown Madison — including Valecia Crisafulli (left), who was one of several representatives from Madison Main Street program helping to host the event.

Austin Sims, executive director of Madison Main Street program, welcomes visitors at The Chandler Hotel's front entrance during the grand opening at 111 East Second Street.

A view of The Chandler Hotel lobby from the grand staircase. Visitors to the grand opening toured the five hotel rooms on the upper floor along with the rooftop terrace and fitness room.

A display of artifacts shows some of the history behind the building at 111 East Second Street that is now The Chandler Hotel — originally operated as a livery stable, later as a bottling works and last utilized by The Madison Courier to store newsprint and ink before the Chandlers bought and converted it into a hotel.

School funding worries lead to late budget boost

BY TOM DAVIES
ASSOCIATED PRESS

INDIANAPOLIS — Republican legislators pushed through a new state budget plan early Friday that greatly expands eligibility for Indiana's private school voucher program after they added money for traditional schools amid complaints over small funding increases they were set to receive.

This year's legislative session came to an end with the budget vote that drew criticism of the GOP school funding plan from public schools groups and Democrats, who claimed it short-changed traditional public schools with funding increases less than the inflation rate.

The school voucher expansion in the initial budget deal announced Wednesday by Republican leaders was set to consume more than $500 million of the nearly $1.2 billion increase planned for general K-12 funding over the next two years. The revised plan added about $300 million to boost the total increase to about $1.5 billion.

House members voted 70-27 and senators voted 39-10, largely along party lines, in favor of the budget as the Republican-dominated Legislature adjourned this year's session around 2:30 a.m.

Longtime education lobbyist Dennis Costerison said school district leaders began contacting lawmakers with concerns after school funding projections released Wednesday showed that nearly 75% of the state's school districts would receive funding increases of less than 2% in the budget's second year.

"With schools, and everybody else from the governor to the General Assembly, wanting to get more money for teacher salaries, where's that money going to come from?" said Costerison, executive director of the Indiana Association of School Business Officials.

The GOP budget agreement announced Wednesday boosted total base K-12 school funding by 6% in the first year and 2% the second year. But traditional school districts would only see projected average increases of 3.5% and 1.1% after more than $500 million was diverted to pay for a 75% increase in the number of students receiving the state vouchers toward paying private school tuition.

Thursday's revisions pushed the funding boost for public school districts to 5.4% in the budget's first year and 1.3% in the second year, according to projections from the nonpartisan Legislative Services Agency.

House Ways and Means Committee Chairman Jeff Thompson, the top House budget writer, defended the voucher program expansion.

"It gives parents the opportunity to choose what they believe is the best school or type of school for them," Thompson said. "They're the ones that decide what fits."

Republicans boosted the school funding figure by shifting money away from a Senate-backed provision that directed $1 billion toward paying down future teacher pension fund obligations.

A leader of the state's largest teachers union said the additional school funding was an improvement but the increase would still not keep up with inflation.

"Most schools will struggle with any sort of pay increase, particularly in the second year," said Dan Holub, executive director of the Indiana State Teachers Association.

The school funding discussion overshadowed other less-discussed provisions in the budget plan that included extending an automatic inflation-related increase in the state gasoline tax by three years and providing sizeable pay raises for the governor and other statewide elected officials starting in 2025.

The gasoline tax pays for infrastructure projects and currently rings in at 33 cents a gallon after being allowed to go up 1 cent each July since 2017 when Republicans boosted it to 28 cents from 18 cents. The annual increase was set to expire in 2024, but the budget bill extends it to 2027.

Republicans rebuffed calls from Democrats last year to suspend state gasoline taxes. The levy also includes a 7% sales tax that will stand at 20.3 cents a gallon in May. Prices jumped after the Russian invasion of Ukraine.

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Community needs to say 'No' to hiring of Cosgrove

To The Editor:

When I first moved to Carroll County and I told folks where I lived, the first thing that came to their mind was the tragic bus crash that occurred in 1988. These days when I mention my home, it brings to mind in many an even bigger tragedy: The death of an innocent woman named Breonna Taylor in Louisville, and a Sheriff's Department that chose to hire the man whose gunshots were determined responsible for her death.

Our community was blindsided by the hiring of Myles Cosgrove, and the impact of this decision has already rattled my small hometown with the local and even national media attention received. What I worry about is what this hire says about our community, and the folks of Carroll County had absolutely no choice in the matter. Our Sheriff Ryan Gosser took it upon himself to hire Officer Cosgrove, but all of Carroll County's residents have to deal with the consequences of that unilateral and, in my humble opinion, incredibly wrong and short-sighted decision. I am concerned for the safety of myself and my neighbors while we are under the guard of a man who has the well-documented performance and subsequent termination records of Myles Cosgrove. I think our county residents should have had the opportunity to consider the potential cost to our small community's limited resources that Cosgrove poses, as his past actions have in part contributed to multiple very costly lawsuits for his previous employer, the Louisville Metro Police Department. If something like that happened in Carroll County, the costs in every arena would be devastating to our citizenry and our Sheriff's Department.

All this is outlined to simply say: Small towns are often the places where political power plays and social injustices go unnoticed and under-reported. I hope that instead of being forgotten as another small town that was taken advantage of, Carroll County can take this terrible situation we find ourselves in and turn it into a story of redemption and people coming together to say "No" when their Sheriff made a bad choice for all of us.

Laura Goldsmith
Carroll County

Holcomb endorses revised GOP budget package

BY TOM DAVIES
ASSOCIATED PRESS

INDIANAPOLIS — A messy state budget deal gained the endorsement of Indiana Gov. Eric Holcomb on Friday soon after it won final passage from state legislators.

Republican legislative leaders scrambled for much of Thursday to add about $300 million in school funding after facing complaints that a costly expansion of eligibility for Indiana's private school voucher program would leave traditional schools with small funding increases.

The revised deal finally got House and Senate votes in Friday's early hours, clearing both Republican-dominated chambers in near-party line votes that wrapped up about 2:30 a.m.

Despite not seeking the voucher program expansion, nor a speed-up of planned income tax rate cuts that GOP lawmakers included in the deal, Holcomb said during a Statehouse news conference that he would "gladly" sign the two-year $44.6 billion budget.

"It is a generational impact budget," the Republican governor said. "Its policies and plans can be viewed, as we do, as a blueprint for growth, and we're going to be busy building up and growing all over the state."

Holcomb pointed to budget provisions such as $500 million toward a new round of regional economic development grants and about $120 million to fill his request to eliminate school material and textbook rental fees charged to families.

Lawmakers didn't give Holcomb all he sought — prominently deciding to provide about two-thirds of the governor's requested funding for expanding county health department programs. The funding would be aimed at improving the state's low rankings in areas such as obesity, smoking and life expectancy.

Holcomb said it was a start in an effort that he made one of his top budget priorities after a state commission found that Indiana's local public health spending ranks 45th among the states.

State Health Commissioner Dr. Kristina Box said the Legislature provided "the major components that we need in order to be able to go forward."

"There are some strings attached, but they're all things that are very, very workable, and we're very excited to get started," Box said.

Conservative lawmakers foisted several other issues onto Holcomb's desk during the four-month legislative session that he didn't seek — and drew crowds of protesters to the Statehouse.

Holcomb has already signed into law a measure that will prohibit transgender youth from accessing medication or surgeries that aid in transition and mandate those currently taking medication to stop by the end of the year. The American Civil Liberties Union of Indiana has filed a lawsuit seeking to stop the ban from taking effect July 1.

The governor, meanwhile, hasn't yet said whether he will sign a bill requiring schools to notify parents if their child requests a name or pronoun change at school or another that could make it easier to ban books from public school libraries if they face complaints of being sexually inappropriate for children.

A leader of the state's largest teachers union said lawmakers "missed the mark" on helping schools around the state or stemming the loss of teachers leaving the classroom.

"Most of what happened in the session had nothing to do with that," said Dan Holub, executive director of the Indiana State Teachers Association. "We've been obsessed with social issues and things like that and, actually, that's done more to cause educators to think twice about the profession they've chosen."

Public schools groups and Democrats argued the voucher expansion's cost shortchanges traditional public schools with funding increases less than the inflation rate.

The voucher expansion in the initial budget deal announced Wednesday by Republican leaders was set to consume more than $500 million of the nearly $1.2 billion increase planned for general K-12 funding over the next two years.

The revised plan added about $300 million to boost the total increase to about $1.5 billion — increasing funding for public school districts to 5.4% in the budget's first year and 1.3% in the second year, according to projections from the nonpartisan Legislative Services Agency.

The voucher expansion includes raising the income limit for a family of four from the current $154,000 to $220,000 and removing a requirement for most families that at least one child had previously attended a public school.

Senate Democratic Leader Greg Taylor of Indianapolis said schools will be unable to significantly increase Indiana's lagging teacher pay as state money is siphoned away to the voucher program.

Drum 'n' Wind duo to perform Saturday

BY SPECIAL TO THE COURIER

Drum 'n' Wind, the duo of Jamal Mohamed on percussion and Jonathan Jones on woodwinds, will perform on Saturday, May 6, at First Christian Church in downtown Madison.

The performance will begin at 7 p.m, at the church, 512 West Main Street. Admission is free to the Madison Performing Arts Foundation event but donations are appreciated.

Mohamed and Jones explore melodies, textures and improvisations using an array of acoustic and electronic instruments, drawing inspiration and musical ideas from traditional music from a wide variety of cultures. They have performed together around the world using rhythms and melodic content from Africa, Asia, and the Middle East, as well as contemporary American music.

Mohamed has been a featured artist in many international music events and presented percussion workshops at venues worldwide. He has performed with Sting, Mark O'Connor, Toumani Diabaté, Giovanni Hidalgo and many other renowned artists. A native of Lebanon, Jamal grew up in the Chicago area, where he was exposed to rich blues and jazz traditions as well as the Middle Eastern music he heard at home. Known for his virtuosity on the doumbek, an ancient Arabic goblet hand drum, Jamal blends innovative jazz and Latin styles with traditional Middle Eastern rhythmic forms.

Jones, a native of Dallas, is a classically trained virtuoso with a broad musical range. He has toured the globe performing on clarinet and a wide variety of specialty instruments, including the Sumatran saranaui, Chinese hulusi, and the slide didgeridoo. As a clarinet soloist, he has been featured on stage with the Fort Worth Opera, Birmingham Opera, Dallas Voices of Change, and the Taipei Chinese Orchestra in Taiwan. He has performed at prominent world music festivals in China, Sumatra, Bali, and Java, and appeared at popular jazz festivals in Italy. He has performed with artists such as Peter Gabriel, Idina Menzel, Balawan, Mohsen Namjoo, Mike Block, and Poovalur Sriji, as well as with Ehsan Matoori in their world music group Horoscope.

In addition to clarinet and western percussion instruments the following will be used in Drum 'n' Wind's performance: doumbek (a single-head hand drum with a goblet-shaped body, most commonly used in the traditional music of Egypt), riq (a tambourine used in Turkish and Arabic classical and traditional music), djembe (a West African rope-tuned, skin-covered, goblet hand drum), ney (an end-blown flute that figures prominently in Persian, Turkish, and Arabic music), didgeridoo (a wind instrument developed by Aboriginal peoples of northern Australia at least 1,000 years ago), hulusi (a free reed wind instrument used in China, Vietnam, and the Shan State, and by the indigenous people of Assam), Roland Handsonic (an electronic percussion instrument with pressure sensitive pads), and EWI (Electronic Wind Instrument).

Handout

The Drum 'n' Wind duo of Jonathan Jones (left) on woodwinds and Jamal Mohamed (right) on percussion is shown. The duo will perform at 7 p.m. on Saturday, May 6 at First Christian Church as part of the Madison Performing Arts Foundation series.

Patterson featured guest for Hanover's Shoemaker series

BY SPECIAL TO THE COURIER

A Hanover College alum Vance Patterson — characterized as a 'serial entrepreneur' — will be returning to the campus in May as the featured guest for the 2023 Shoemaker Speaker Series.

Patterson, a 1972 Hanover College graduate, will by on campus Thursday, May 18, for a presentation at 7 p.m. at the Science Center.

John Riddick, professor and executive director of the Hanover College Business Scholars Program, will serve as host for the conversation. The event is open to the public and free of charge. A pre-event cocktail reception will be held from 6:30 p.m. to 7 p.m.

Since the early 1980s, Patterson has launched 23 companies and a non-profit foundation. His global experience includes joint ventures in North America, Europe, Asia and South America, as well as teaching at Oxford University. He currently serves as president of eight of his North Carolina- and South Carolina-based entities.

In 1982, Patterson began working with Solar Shield, Inc., which manufactures and installs industrial roof-cooling systems. In 1989, he started the Patterson Fan Company, which manufactures and sells industrial fans around the globe. He continues as president of both companies and also leads The Subsidiary Inc., Patterson Ventilation Company, WITSITS Inc., Mainstreet Broadcasting Inc., Frenzy T's Inc. and Fishbowl Enterprises.

Patterson is also the founder of Foundation Forward. The nonprofit organization is committed to teaching civics and preserving American history. Foundation Forward designs, builds and gifts permanent displays of the "Charters of Freedom," including the Declaration of Independence, U.S. Constitution, Bill of Rights, and now, the Civil Rights Amendments, in communities across the U.S. A total of 49 memorials have been gifted, providing localized access to these historical documents in a proper setting for educational purposes, including one on Hanover's campus. Another 22 are scheduled for 2023.

Handout

VANCE PATTERSON

Patterson lives in Morganton, N.C, with his wife, Mary Jo Cody Patterson.

The Shoemaker Speaker Series, part of Hanover's expanding entrepreneurial network, was established in 2022 to feature prominent voices on business, leadership and innovation. The program is made possible through the generosity of John Shoemaker and his wife, Donna.

Shoemaker has more than four decades of experience in high technology, including executive management roles at Sun Microsystems and Xerox Corporation. He is currently the board chair at Extreme Networks and has also served as a board member for numerous companies such as Altera Inc., SonicWall Inc., Astute Technologies Inc., and Conformative Systems Inc.

Hanover to host Poe address to celebrate acquisition of 1st edition

BY SPECIAL TO THE COURIER

Indiana University English Professor Jonathan Elmer will visit the Hanover College campus on Tuesday, May 9, to present the annual Cornelius and Anna Cook O'Brien Lecture.

Elmer's address, "In Poe's Wake: Form, Media and Graphic Horror," will help celebrate Hanover's acquisition of a first edition of "The Works of the late Edgar Allan Poe: with Notices of his Life and Genius," the first published collection of the famed American author's works. The presentation will begin at 3 p.m. in the Duggan Library. The lecture is open to the public and free of charge.

A specialist in American literature and culture, Elmer served as chair of Indiana's English Department from 2009-12 and has served as director of the College Arts and Humanities Institute since 2012. He helped launch the university's Center for Theoretical Inquiry in the Humanities and was also a founding member of the Center for Eighteenth-Century Studies.

Elmer has written extensively about such authors as Poe, Herman Melville, Richard Wright, Ambrose Bierce and Kurt Vonnegut, as well as cultural topics ranging from "The Big Lebowski" and "The Silence of the Lambs" to public humanities and cocktails. He has taught in Israel and South Africa and given lectures at universities across the U.S. and in Australia, Canada, England and Finland. He has also served as artistic director of the Chicago Humanities Festival and currently works as principal investigator of Platform, an arts and humanities research laboratory initiative funded by the Mellon Foundation.

Poe is regarded as a key figure in American literature and considered the father of the modern detective and horror story. He is best known for his poetry and short stories, including "The Raven" and "The Tell-Tale Heart." "The Works of the late Edgar Allan Poe: with Notices of his Life and Genius" was first published in 1850, just one year after his death. The editorial commentary in the publication had a major impact on the author's reputation.

Hanover's purchase of the "The Works of the late Edgar Allan Poe: with Notices of his Life and Genius" was made possible through the Aubra Hiland Art Memorial Fund.

The endowed fund was created by Jeffery and Peggy Hiland in honor of their daughter, a Hanover student who died in a 2004 automobile accident.

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Roland Lichlyter passed in 2014.

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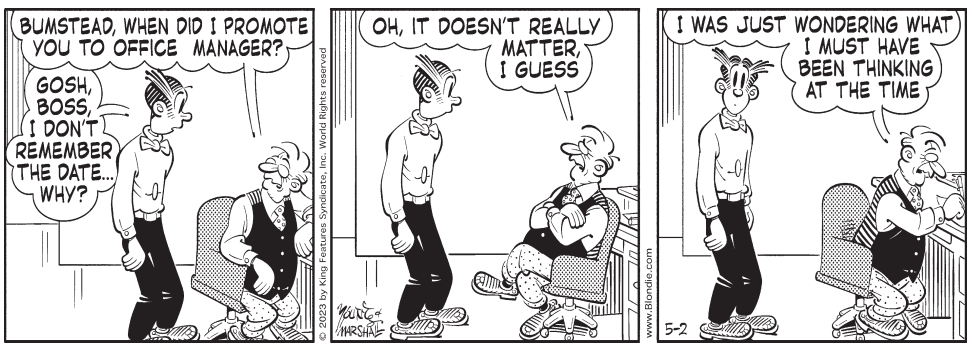
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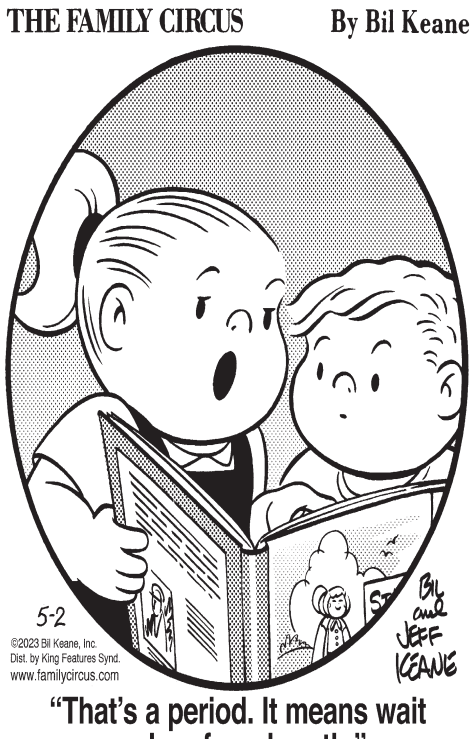
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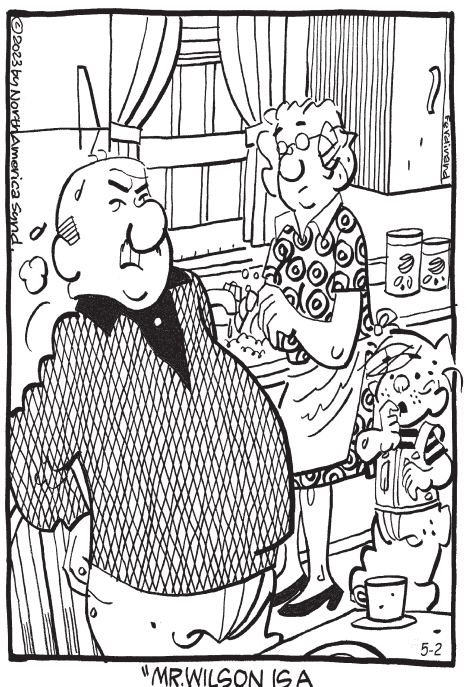

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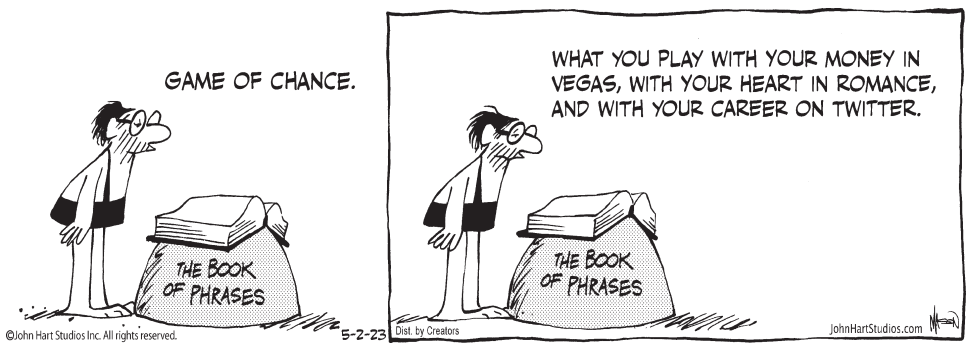
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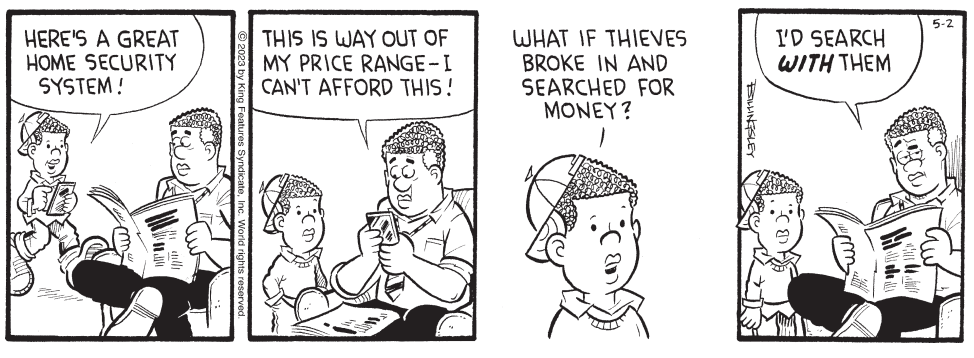
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THIS IS WAY OUT OF MY PRICE RANGE - I CAN'T AFFORD THIS!
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I'D SEARCH WITH THEM
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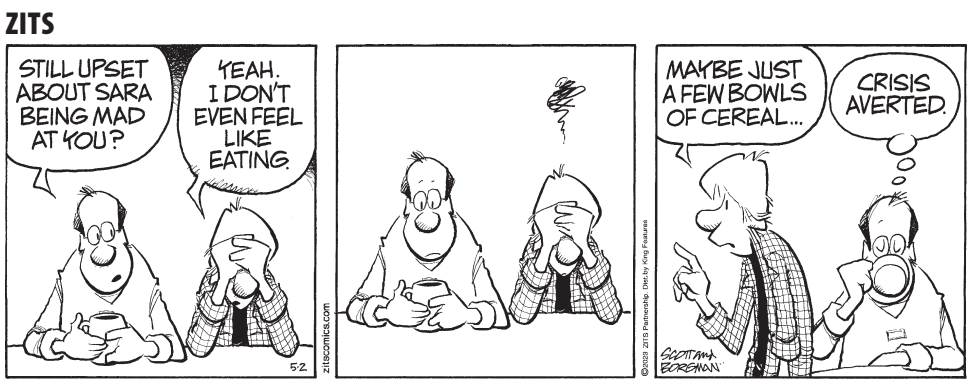
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YEAH. I DON'T EVEN FEEL LIKE EATING.
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MAYBE JUST A FEW BOWLS OF CEREAL...
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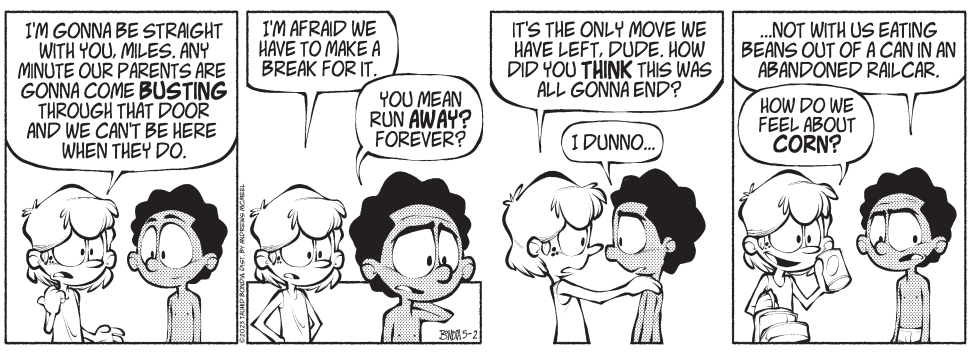
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I'M AFRAID WE HAVE TO MAKE A BREAK FOR IT.
YOU MEAN RUN AWAY? FOREVER?
IT'S THE ONLY MOVE WE HAVE LEFT, DUDE. HOW DID YOU THINK THIS WAS ALL GONNA END?
I DUNNO...
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HOW DO WE FEEL ABOUT CORN?

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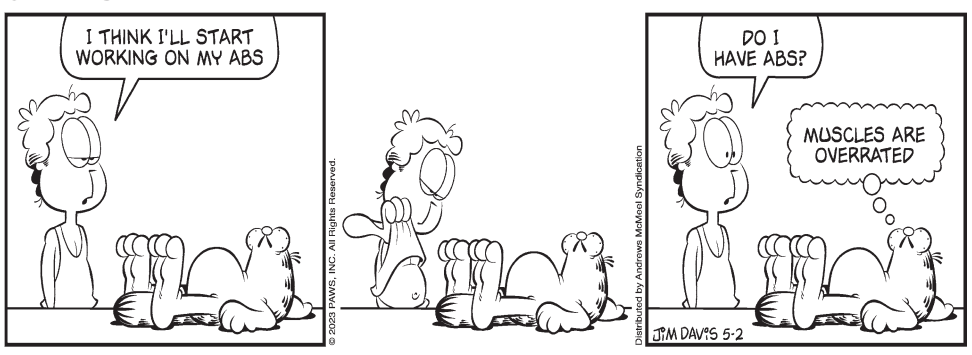
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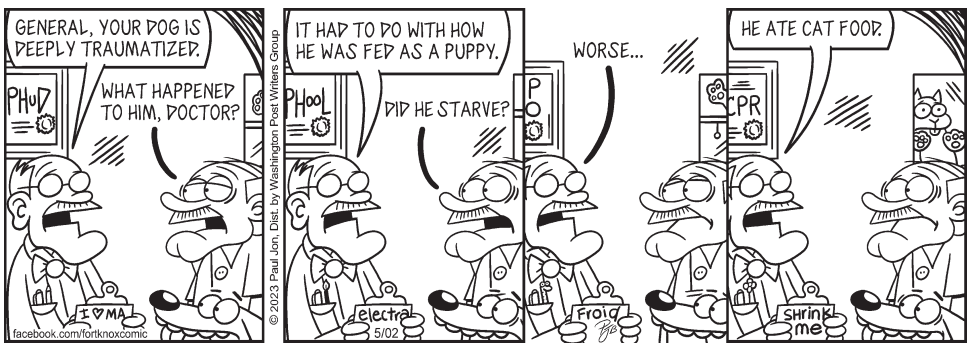

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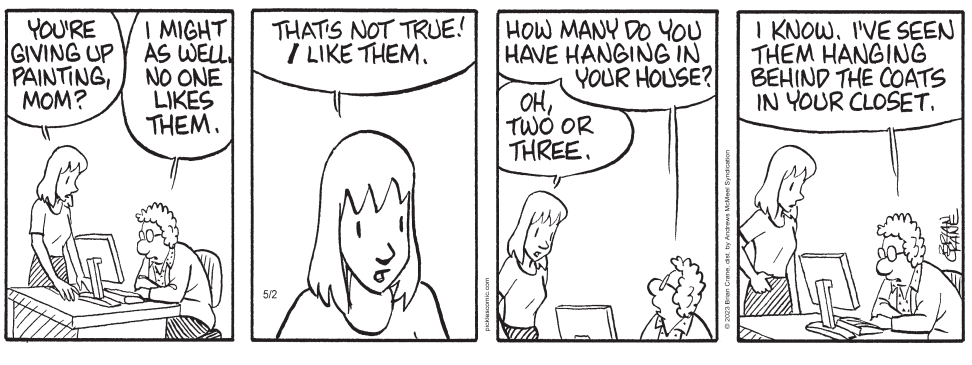
YOU'RE GIVING UP PAINTING, MOM?
I MIGHT AS WELL. NO ONE LIKES THEM.
THAT'S NOT TRUE! I LIKE THEM.
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HOW MANY DO YOU HAVE HANGING IN YOUR HOUSE?
OH, TWO OR THREE.
I KNOW. I'VE SEEN THEM HANGING BEHIND THE COATS IN YOUR CLOSET.
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TODAY IN HISTORY

Today is Tuesday, May 2, the 122nd day of 2023. There are 243 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On May 2, 1994, Nelson Mandela claimed victory in the wake of South Africa's first democratic elections; President F.W. de Klerk acknowledged defeat.

On this date:

In 1863, during the Civil War, Confederate Gen. Thomas "Stonewall" Jackson was accidentally wounded by his own men at Chancellorsville, Virginia; he died eight days later.

In 1890, the Oklahoma Territory was organized.

In 1927, the U.S. Supreme Court, in Buck v. Bell, upheld 8-1 a Virginia law allowing the forced sterilization of people to promote the "health of the patient and the welfare of society."

In 1932, Jack Benny's first radio show, sponsored by Canada Dry, made its debut on the NBC Blue Network.

In 1941, General Mills began shipping its new cereal, "Cheerioats," to six test markets. (The cereal was later renamed "Cheerios.")

In 1970, jockey Diane Crump became the first woman to ride in the Kentucky Derby; she finished in 15th place aboard Fathom. (The winning horse was Dust Commander.)

In 1972, a fire at the Sunshine silver mine in Kellogg, Idaho, claimed the lives of 91 workers who succumbed to carbon monoxide poisoning. Longtime FBI Director J. Edgar Hoover died in Washington at age 77.

In 1997, Tony Blair, whose new Labour Party crushed John Major's long-reigning Conservatives in a national election, became at age 43 Britain's youngest prime minister in 185 years.

In 2005, Pfc. Lynndie England, the young woman pictured in some of the most notorious Abu Ghraib photos, pleaded guilty at Fort Hood, Texas, to mistreating prisoners. (A judge later threw out the plea agreement; England was then convicted in a court-martial and received a three-year sentence, of which she served half.)

In 2010, record rains and flash floods in Kentucky, Mississippi and Tennessee caused more than 30 deaths and submerged the Grand Ole Opry House stage.

In 2011, al-Qaida leader Osama bin Laden, who'd been killed hours earlier in a raid by elite American forces at his Pakistan compound, was buried at sea.

In 2018, the Boy Scouts of America announced that the group's flagship program would undergo a name change; after being known simply as the Boy Scouts for 108 years, the program would now be called Scouts BSA. (The change came as girls were about to enter the ranks.)

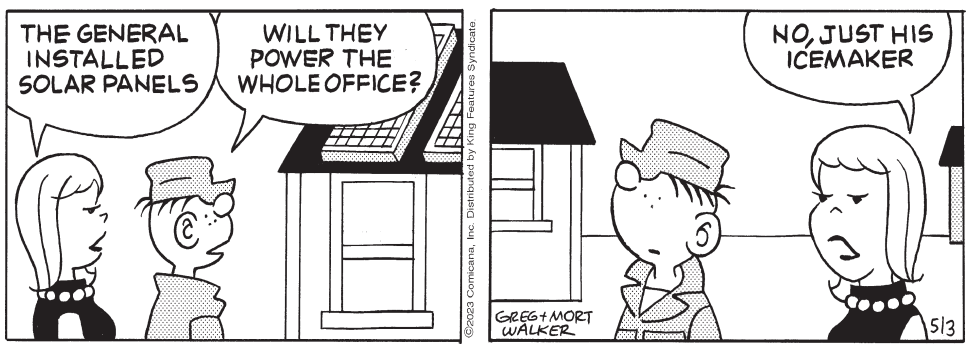
Ten years ago: President Barack Obama arrived in Mexico City on his first trip to Latin America since winning re-election.

Five years ago: Attorney Rudy Giuliani said President Donald Trump had reimbursed his personal lawyer for $130,000 in hush money paid to a porn actress days before the 2016 presidential election, comments that appeared to contradict Trump's past claims that he didn't know the source of the money.

One year ago: A draft was leaked of a Supreme Court ruling throwing out the landmark Roe v. Wade abortion rights ruling that had stood for a half century. The court cautioned that the draft was not final. (The decision would be released in essentially the same form on June 24.)

Today's Birthdays: Singer Engelbert Humperdinck is 87. Actor-activist Bianca Jagger is 78. Country singer R.C. Bannon is 78. Actor David Suchet (SOO'-shay) is 77. Singer-songwriter Larry Gatlin is 75. Rock singer Lou Gramm (Foreigner) is 73. Actor Christine Baranski is 71. Singer Angela Bofill is 69. Fashion designer Donatella Versace is 68. Actor Brian Tochi is 64. Movie director Stephen Daldry is 63. Actor Elizabeth Berridge is 61. Country singer Ty Herndon is 61. Actor Mitzi Kapture is 61. Commentator Mika Brzezinski is 56. Indiana Gov. Eric Holcomb is 55. Rock musician Todd Sucherman (Styx) is 54. Wrestler-turned-actor Dwayne Johnson (AKA The Rock) is 51. Former soccer player David Beckham is 48. Rock singer Jeff Gutt (goot) (Stone Temple Pilots) is 47. Actor Jenna Von Oy is 46. Actor Kumail Nanjiani is 45. Actor Ellie Kemper is 43. Actor Robert Buckley is 42. Actor Gaius (GY'-ehs) Charles is 40. Pop singer Lily Rose Cooper is 38. Olympic gold medal figure skater Sarah Hughes is 38. Actor Thomas McDonell is 37. Actor Kay Panabaker is 33. NBA All-Star Paul George is 33. Princess Charlotte of Cambridge is 8.

BEETLE BAILEY


THE GENERAL INSTALLED SOLAR PANELS
WILL THEY POWER THE WHOLE OFFICE?
NO, JUST HIS ICEMAKER
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GREG+MORT WALKER
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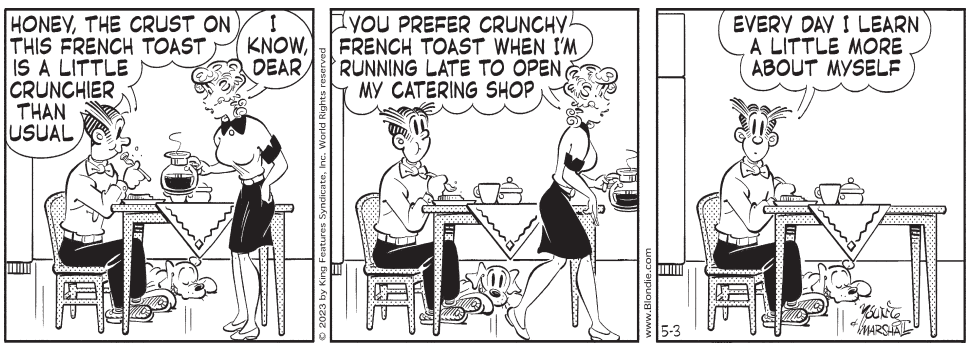
HONEY, THE CRUST ON THIS FRENCH TOAST IS A LITTLE CRUNCHIER THAN USUAL
I KNOW, DEAR
YOU PREFER CRUNCHY FRENCH TOAST WHEN I'M RUNNING LATE TO OPEN MY CATERING SHOP
EVERY DAY I LEARN A LITTLE MORE ABOUT MYSELF
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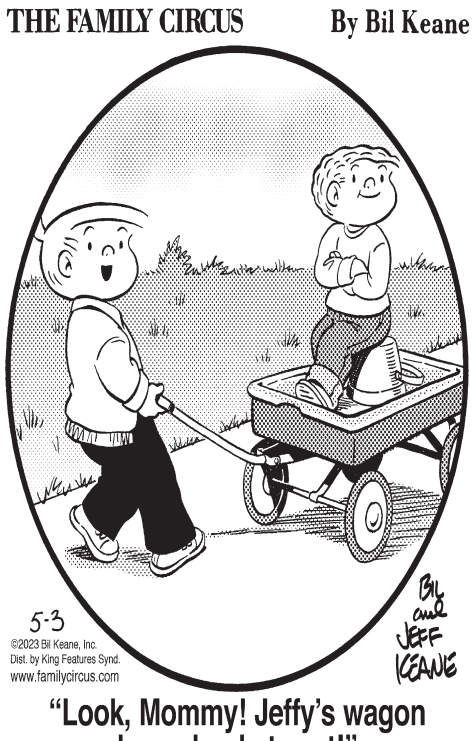

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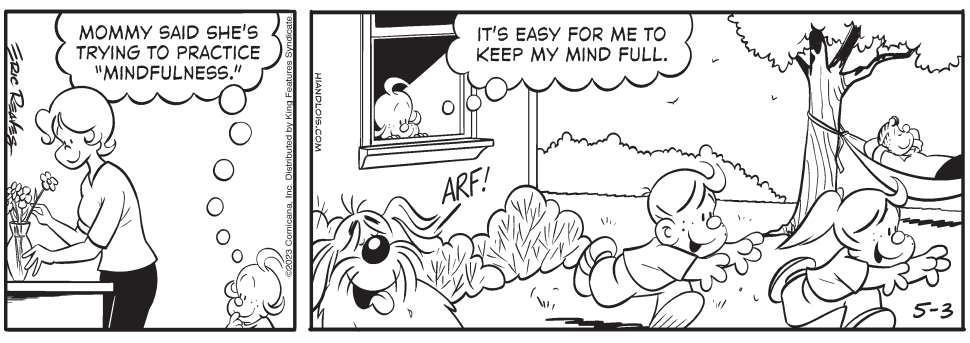
MOMMY SAID SHE'S TRYING TO PRACTICE "MINDFULNESS."
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IT'S EASY FOR ME TO KEEP MY MIND FULL.
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BABY BLUES

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I THINK IT'S ZOE'S TURN TO GET BLAMED FOR SOMETHING.
5-3 KIRKMAN & SCOTT

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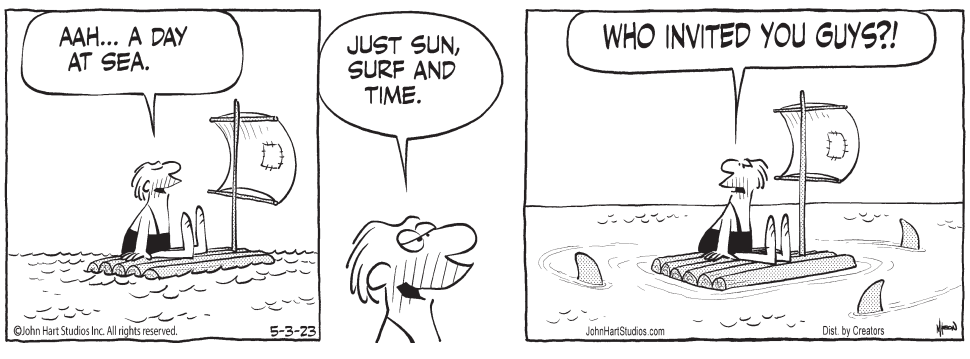

CURTIS

DID YOU LEND CURTIS SOME TWEEZERS?
YES, BABY, MOMMY USES THEM TO TWEEZE UNWANTED EYEBROW HAIRS
GIGGLE
WELL, HE'S USING THEM TO PLUCK OFF DEAD SKIN FLAKES FROM BETWEEN HIS TOES
SHUSTER
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SINCE WHEN IS GOOD FOOT MAINTENANCE NOT NECESSARY?!
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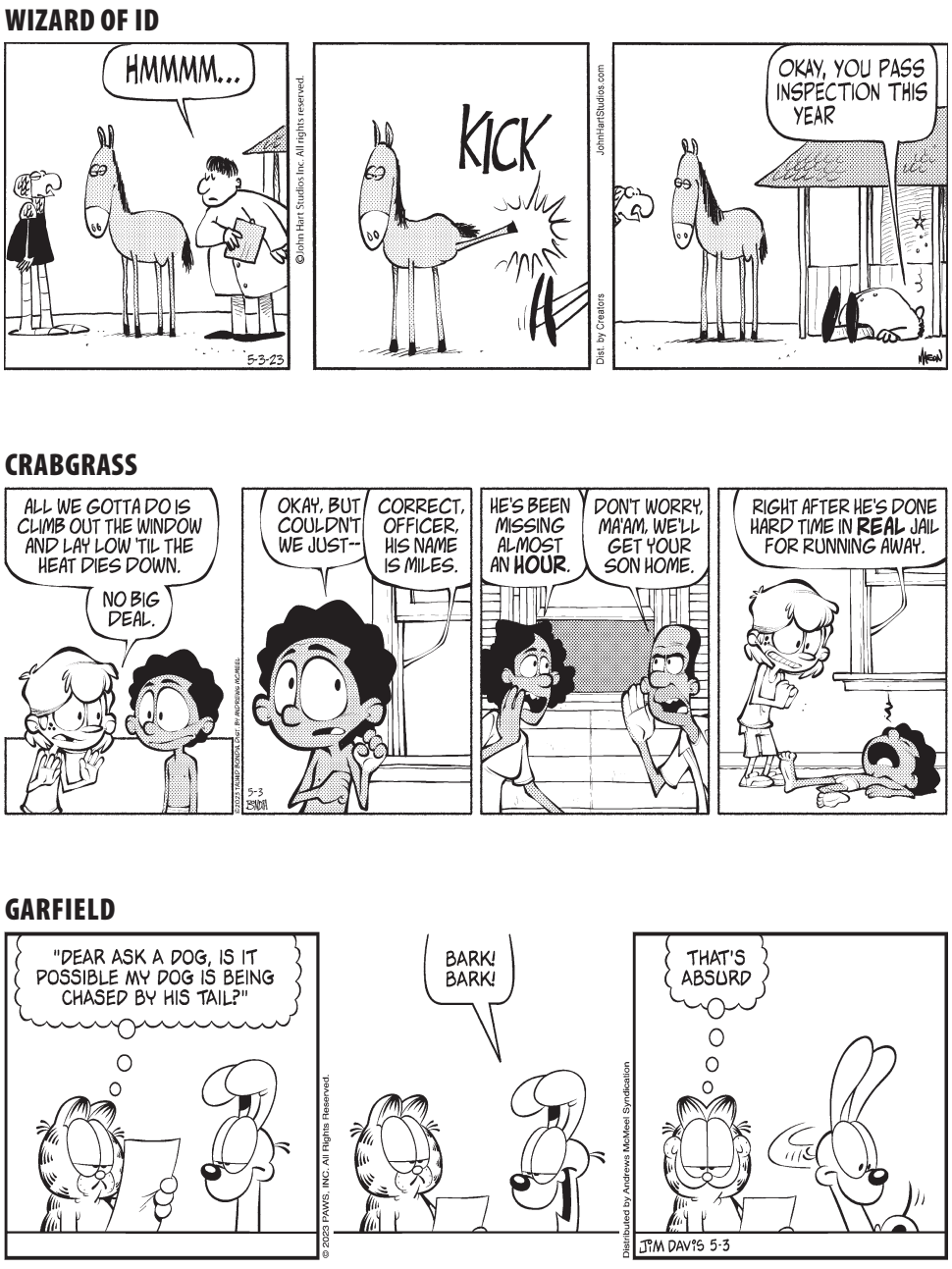

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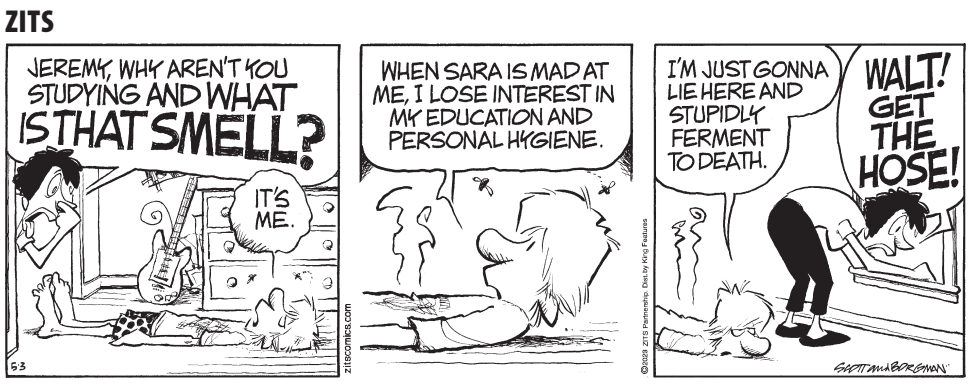
JEREMY, WHY AREN'T YOU STUDYING AND WHAT IS THAT SMELL?
IT'S ME.
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WHEN SARA IS MAD AT ME, I LOSE INTEREST IN MY EDUCATION AND PERSONAL HYGIENE.
I'M JUST GONNA LIE HERE AND STUPIDLY FERMENT TO DEATH.
WALT! GET THE HOSE!
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CRABGRASS

ALL WE GOTTA DO IS CLIMB OUT THE WINDOW AND LAY LOW 'TIL THE HEAT DIES DOWN.
NO BIG DEAL.
OKAY. BUT COULDN'T WE JUST--
CORRECT, OFFICER. HIS NAME IS MILES.
HE'S BEEN MISSING ALMOST AN HOUR.
DON'T WORRY, MA'AM, WE'LL GET YOUR SON HOME.
RIGHT AFTER HE'S DONE HARD TIME IN REAL JAIL FOR RUNNING AWAY.
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GARFIELD

"DEAR ASK A DOG, IS IT POSSIBLE MY DOG IS BEING CHASED BY HIS TAIL?"
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BARK! BARK!
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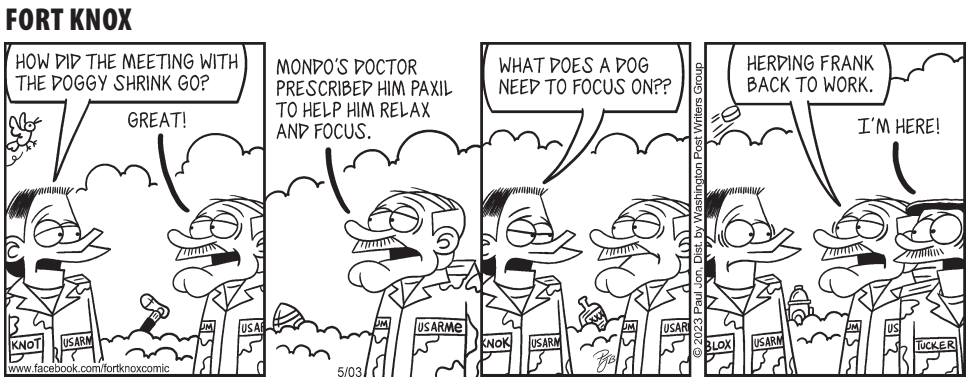
THAT'S ABSURD
JIM DAVIS 5-3

FORT KNOX


HOW DID THE MEETING WITH THE DOGGY SHRINK GO?
GREAT!
MONDO'S DOCTOR PRESCRIBED HIM PAXIL TO HELP HIM RELAX AND FOCUS.
WHAT DOES A DOG NEED TO FOCUS ON??
HERDING FRANK BACK TO WORK.
I'M HERE!
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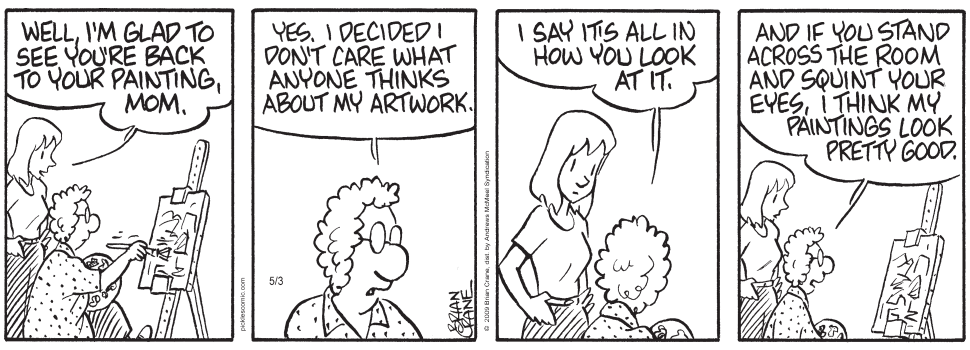
WELL, I'M GLAD TO SEE YOU'RE BACK TO YOUR PAINTING, MOM.
YES. I DECIDED I DON'T CARE WHAT ANYONE THINKS ABOUT MY ARTWORK.
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I SAY IT'S ALL IN HOW YOU LOOK AT IT.
AND IF YOU STAND ACROSS THE ROOM AND SQUINT YOUR EYES, I THINK MY PAINTINGS LOOK PRETTY GOOD.
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TODAY IN HISTORY

Today is Wednesday, May 3, the 123rd day of 2023. There are 242 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On May 3, 1979, Conservative Party leader Margaret Thatcher was chosen to become Britain's first female prime minister as the Tories ousted the incumbent Labour government in parliamentary elections.

On this date:

In 1802, Washington, D.C., was incorporated as a city.

In 1937, Margaret Mitchell won the Pulitzer Prize for her novel, "Gone with the Wind."

In 1947, Japan's postwar constitution took effect.

In 1948, the Supreme Court, in Shelley v. Kraemer, ruled that covenants prohibiting the sale of real estate to Blacks or members of other racial groups were legally unenforceable.

In 1960, the Harvey Schmidt-Tom Jones musical "The Fantasticks" began a nearly 42-year run at New York's Sullivan Street Playhouse.

In 1987, The Miami Herald said its reporters had observed a young woman spending "Friday night and most of Saturday" at a Washington townhouse belonging to Democratic presidential candidate Gary Hart. (The woman was later identified as Donna Rice; the resulting controversy torpedoed Hart's presidential bid.)

In 2006, a federal jury in Alexandria, Virginia, rejected the death penalty for al-Qaida conspirator Zacarias Moussaoui (zak-uh-REE'-uhs moo-SOW'-ee), deciding he should spend life in prison for his role in 9/11; as he was led from the courtroom, Moussaoui taunted, "America, you lost."

In 2009, Mexican President Felipe Calderon told state television that a nationwide shutdown and an aggressive informational campaign appeared to have helped curtail an outbreak of swine flu in Mexico.

In 2011, Chicago's Derrick Rose became at age 22 the NBA's youngest MVP.

In 2015, two gunmen were shot and killed by a police officer in Garland, Texas, after they opened fire outside a purposely provocative contest for cartoon depictions of the Prophet Muhammad.

In 2016, in a stunning triumph for a political outsider, Donald Trump all but clinched the Republican presidential nomination with a resounding victory in Indiana that knocked rival Ted Cruz out of the race.

In 2018, a federal grand jury in Detroit indicted former Volkswagen CEO Martin Winterkorn on charges stemming from the company's diesel emissions cheating scandal. (Under Germany's constitution, he could not be extradited to the U.S. to face charges.)

Ten years ago: President Barack Obama cast Mexico as a nation ready to take "its rightful place in the world" and move past the drug battles and violence that had defined its relationship with the United States; the president then headed to Costa Rica, where he told a press conference he didn't foresee any circumstance requiring the U.S. to send ground troops into Syria.

Five years ago: President Donald Trump insisted that his reimbursement of a 2016 hush payment to porn actress Stormy Daniels had nothing to do with his election campaign. Arizona Gov. Doug Ducey signed a plan to give striking teachers pay raises totaling 20 percent, ending a six-day walkout.

One year ago: President Joe Biden blasted as "radical" a leaked Supreme Court draft opinion throwing out the Roe v. Wade abortion rights ruling after 50 years. Chief Justice John Roberts said he had ordered an investigation into what he called an "egregious breach of trust."

Today's Birthdays: Singer Frankie Valli is 89. Sen. Jim Risch, R-Idaho, is 80. Sports announcer Greg Gumbel is 77. Sen. Ron Wyden, D-Ore., is 74. Pop singer Mary Hopkin is 73. Singer Christopher Cross is 72. Rock musician David Ball (Soft Cell) is 64. Country singer Shane Minor is 55. Actor Amy Ryan is 55. Actor Bobby Cannavale (ka-nuh-VAL'-ee) is 53. Music and film producer-actor Damon Dash is 52. Country musician John Driskell Hopkins (Zac Brown Band) is 52. Country-rock musician John Neff is 52. Actor Marsha Stephanie-Blake is 48. TV personality Willie Geist (TV: "Today") is 48. Actor Christina Hendricks is 48. Actor Dule (doo-LAY') Hill is 48. Country singer Eric Church is 46. Actor Tanya Wright is 45. Dancer Cheryl Burke is 39. Soul singer Michael Kiwanuka is 36. Actor Zoe De Grand Maison is 28. Rapper Desiigner is 26.

Available for adoption

Handout

Billy Jean is a female Basset Hound mix who is 1 to 3 years old. She loves belly rubs and attention and is the sweetest doggy you'll likely meet! She is available for adoption at the Jefferson County Animal Shelter on Madison's hilltop. For more information or to visit Billy Jean and the other animals awaiting adoption, visit the shelter Facebook page or www.sisaveapet.com or call 812-273-1788.

Local math bowl teams win competition

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Math teams from two local elementary schools placed first in a regional competition held recently in Seymour.

Pope John Elementary School and Anderson Elementary both came away as winners.

Pope John Elementary School achieved first place overall for fifth and sixth grade, scoring 17 total points in the green category based on school size and grade, and was also the top scoring team overall in the area competition. Pope John scored was strong enough to also achieve 29th place out of 93 schools in the entire state of Indiana.

Pope John Math Bowl team is coached by 30-year Pope John teacher Colleen Burdette.

Anderson Elementary was first place overall for the fourth grade-only level, scoring 11 points in the yellow category. The coaches for the Anderson Elementary team are Vanessa Hobson and Ashley Schirmer. Anderson finished ahead of Lydia Middleton, second with 10; Rykers' Ridge, third with 9; and Deputy, fourth with 8.

In the orange category for fifth grade students at schools with 163 or more students, Madison Junior High School tied with Seymour's Margaret R. Brown Elementary for second place, finishing with 12 points, one point behind Seymour Redding Elementary School, which score 13 points.

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"Thank you. It's been a pleasure doing it." Ralston said.

In other business, the board:

• Approved several street closings including the Madison Running Club Firecracker 10K on Saturday, July 1, which Courtney said the city is working with the Indiana Department of Transportation to ensure that Hanging Rock Hill will available for the event despite current work on State Road 7 that has it closed to vehicle traffic.

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• Approved a two-year lease agreement with Metronet for $1,000 per month for installing and operating an antenna on the city's south water tower at 2294 Wilson Avenue. In the past, the city has permitted use of the tower without charging a fee. "I am happy to see we're going to create some revenue off the tower," said Courtney.

• Approved a memorandum between the Indiana Department of Transportation and the city for the temporary transfer of Ferry Street while the state does drainage work at State Road 56 and Ferry Street. Courtney said that in exchange for the investment that the state is making to improve drainage, the state asked for the temporary transfer so it has full control of the road until completion of the work that's anticipated to be in the vicinity of August.

• Approved final PACE awards of $7,500 each to Carla Vossler for 611 East Second St. for foundational work, Starla and Michael Raley for 427 Mulberry Street for replacing 19 windows, and JaRog Properties for 223 West First St. for replacing siding on all four sides of the house.

Southwestern holds prom

Southwestern High School held its prom on Saturday the Red Barn in Hanover. The prom queen and king were Bella Dilk (left) and Braylin Miller (left center) while the prince and princess were William Stockdale (right center) and Jaden Davidson (right).

Women's Giving Circle awards $25K in grants

BY SPECIAL TO THE COURIER

Nine organizations have been awarded grants from the Women's Giving Circle of Jefferson County (WGCJC) totaling $25,956.

All nine organizations offer programs and projects that benefit women and children in Jefferson County. Grants are awarded using money collected from membership dues and donations made in 2022 as well as the annual amount available from the Women's Giving Circle Endowment in memory of Bonnie Hare.

Awards are made to qualifying 501©3 organizations that apply through the annual WGCJC competitive grants cycle and have a project and/or program that impacts one of four fields of interest: Education, Economic Empowerment, Physical & Mental Health, and Violence & Crime Prevention.

The nine organizations are:

• CASA of Jefferson County to support the Recruitment, Training and Retention project.

• Children's Advocacy Center of Southeastern Indiana Inc. to support the Madison Consolidated Schools Prevention Education program.

Dupont Community Park Committee and Dupont Town Board to support the creation of the Dupont Playground and Park.

Submitted

Representatives of the Women's Giving Circle of Jefferson County 2022 grant recipients include (from left): front — John Bush, Jefferson County House of Hope; Jessica Whitham, Children's Advocacy Center of Southeastern Indiana; Liz Cooper, The Freedom Center; Amy Ralston, Prince of Peace Catholic Schools; Barb Ford, Hanover Community Garden; second row — Cheryl Patton, Dupont Playground/Park; Shelby Wilson, Habitat for Humanity of Southeast Indiana; Whitney Roberts and Brenda Holbrook, CASA of Jefferson County; third row — Dawn Jines, Dupont Playground/Park; Megan Varble, Hanover Happy Holidays; Amanda Thompson, Habitat for Humanity of Southeast Indiana; back — Women's Guiding Circle Members Lynn Maricle, Jean Herron, Kathy Crafton and Leah James.

• The Freedom Center LLC to purchase furniture for the therapy office.

• Habitat for Humanity of Southeast Indiana to support the Clifty Woods subdivision affordable housing project.

• Hanover Community Garden to support the Connecting Youth to Nature and Nutrition program.

• Hanover Happy Holidays to provide books for distribution to youth attending the Holly Jolly Santa celebration.

• Jefferson County House of Hope to support the School Backpack Food project.

• Prince of Peace Catholic Schools to provide a fence around the preschool playground.

The Women's Giving Circle is a group of philanthropic-minded women of all ages, means and backgrounds who combine their financial strength to make a positive change for the women and children of Jefferson County. Annual membership to the WGCJC is a $100 tax-deductible contribution. Junior memberships are $50 and open to girls ages 18 and under. Of the $100 annual donation, $75 goes in a fund for the annual grant cycle and $25 is placed in an endowment fund for future granting. The junior membership is split $25/$25. Assets of the WGCJC are held and maintained at the Community Foundation of Madison & Jefferson County.

For more information about the Women's Giving Circle, contact Julie Wells at 812-265-3327, by email at womensgivingcircle@cfmjc.org, or join online at www.cfmjc.org/wgc.

ISSUES

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Thursday's first meeting, Other board members include D.J. Walch, Ana Gamboa, Dr. Dewain Lee and Jane Stormer.

The first meeting provided a chance to share ideas about matters related to Health and Human Relations.

One of the issues discussed as related to health was that are apparently no dentists in Jefferson County who accept Medicare for payment. "Is that something we can do something about?" Bramer asked, noting that in his discussions with dentists that accepting Medicare is "too much to deal with" and the closest dentist who does accept Medicare is apparently in Clark County.

Murphy said he was not aware of that. "Maybe just the awareness of those needs might be a starting point because I had no idea that was an issue," he said. He also wondered what the barriers might be for a dentist in accepting Medicare. "Are they that the reimbursement is low or is the administrative work cumbersome? If it's administrative maybe there's some county means to help with that. If it's reimbursement" then that would be challenging for the county.

Bramer suggested the Commission might should meet with dentists to find out the hurdles their facing in providing service to Medicare patients along with reaching out for information to health officials in the State of Indiana.

Keltch asked if there was a possibility for mobile dental services while Livers suggested transportation services that could be provided to take people to dental appointments out of county where Medicare is accepted.

"Maybe just the awareness of those needs might be a starting point because I had no idea that was an issue."

— Dr. Scott Murphy

Laurel Wahl of Madison asked the commission for assistance with autism awareness, training, services and resources. Wahl noted that those with autism face "a lot of overwhelming things that we take for granted" and that's hard for people to understand. "I think educating our whole community about that would be very helpful," she said.

Wahl noted that at times an autistic person can be labeled as having behavioral issues when that's the case at all. Sometimes what appears to be a behavioral problem is a matter of giving an autistic person space to deal with what is happening. "It goes back to education and training to understand what's going on" to better know how to react and handle specific situations, Wahl said.

Bramer suggested working towards scheduling a training event on autism that might be helpful to residents of Jefferson County.

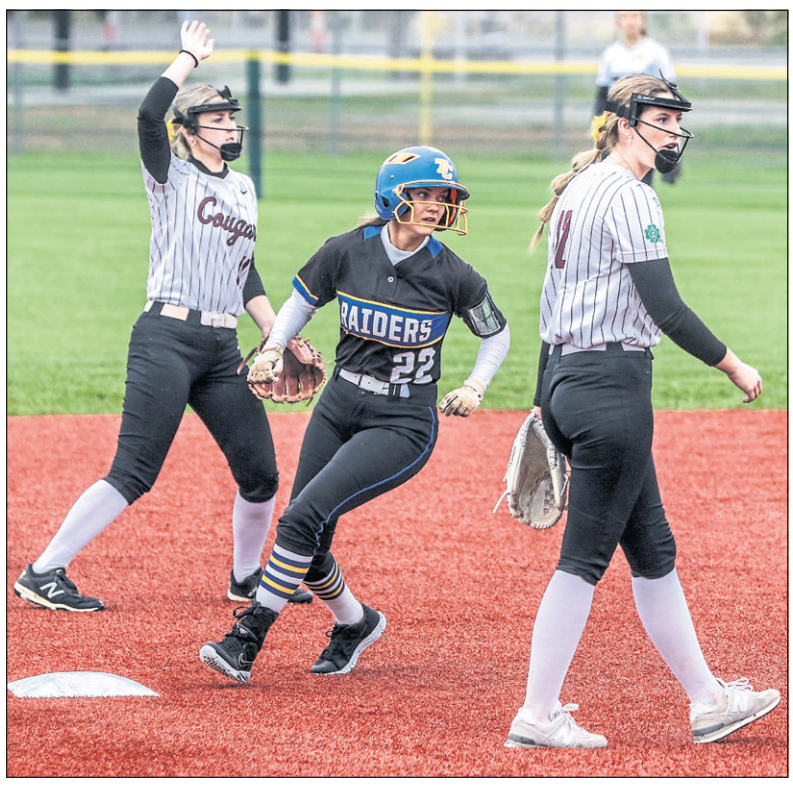
"Most people know somebody on the spectrum (of autism) whether they know it or not," said Chandler.

Murphy suggested the need for a focus on providing activities that help people become more physically active for their good health.

Bramer said there has been some discussion of creating a campground at the Jefferson Proving Ground that would include walking trails. There could also be efforts to identify other places in the county that might be more easily accessible but still provide opportunities for residents to be more physically active.

One idea discussed was the possibility of scheduling a Clean Up Jefferson County Day, and considered ways that physical activity might be done.

Although the first meeting served as a time to talk and share ideas, Bramer asked the board members to "think about those sort of things so we can get some ideas, and then we can prioritize" and see what can be done for good health and human relations for the people of Jefferson County.



Trimble County's Kaylee Payton gets to second base as Louisville Holy Cross' Aubrey Faust, left, and Breelyn Willett wait on the ball during action Saturday in the All 'A' Classic state softball tournament at Jack C. Fisher Park in Owensboro, Kentucky.

Photo by Greg Eans, Messenger-Inquirer

Trimble County's Hannah Chilton bats in the second inning against Louisville Holy Cross during the All 'A' Classic state softball tournament, Saturday, April 29, 2023, at Jack C. Fisher Park in Owensboro, Kentucky.

Trimble falls at All 'A' softball state finals

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Trimble County finished pool play with an 0-3 record in the All "A" Classic Softball State Finals in Owensboro on Saturday.

The Raiders played well in all three games but lost 9-3 to Holy Cross in the opener, 9-6 to Wolfe County in game two and 6-5 to Somerset in the finale.

"In the first two games we didn't play the way we could've played," Trimble coach Jason Ginn said. "I talked to the girls, told them we had to play hard. We lost a 1-run ballgame to the team that's won both the other games in the pool. We've had a pretty good season."

Holy Cross scored four runs in the fifth and three in the sixth to clinch the win in the opener. Emma Ginn was 2-for-2 with a home run and two runs scored for Trimble, Jaelynn Holbrook was 2-for-4 with a double and a run, Jocie Stucker had a hit and an RBI and Hannah Chilton had a hit.

Alyssa Ritchie took the loss after giving up five earned runs on 12 hits in five and two-thirds innings with a strikeout and a walk.

Trimble scored five runs in the bottom of the first in its game against Wolfe County but couldn't hold the lead, falling 9-6.

Holbrook was 3-for-4 with an RBI and a run scored, Chilton was 2-for-4 with a triple, two RBIs and a run, Alanna Washington was 2-for-4 with two runs, Ginn had a hit, an RBI and a run scored, and Stucker had a hit.

Ritchie allowed five earned runs on 10 hits in five and a third innings and suffered the loss.

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TENNIS ROUNDUP

Southwestern beats Madison, Milan to improve to 11-1

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Southwestern defeated Madison 5-0 in girls tennis on Wednesday at Hanover Park.

The Rebels, who have lost only one dual match all season, won all five matches in straight sets but several of the individual matches were much closer than the score indicated.

"Good win for us today versus a crosstown rival," Southwestern coach Kenny Garrett said. "I'm really proud of the girls for their hard work as I am not always easy to play for because I demand so much from them. Even with all of our youth they have bought into what we stand for as a team. "

In singles action, Syrenia Hardy defeated Erin Burkhardt 6-0, 6-1 at No. 1, Emma Hatton knocked off Claire Slygh 6-3, 6-3 at No. 2 and Ava Barnes beat Ruby Willoughby 6-3, 6-2 at No. 3.

In doubles, Autumn Gross and Natalie LaRue defeated Michelle Laguana-Rafeal and Riley Poling 6-0, 6-2 at No. 1 and Raygan Crawford and Kaylee Hite beat Alexa Davis and Bridgett Boles 6-1, 6-0 at No. 2.

On Thursday, Madison lost a close 3-2 to match against Edinburgh.

David Campbell

Southwestern's Autumn Gross (left) returns a shot at the net just in front of Madison's Michelle Lauguna-Rafeal during their match at No. 1 doubles at Hanover Park on Wednesday.

Willoughby won 6-1, 6-1 at No. 3 singles and Marley Stivers and Maylie Skinner won 7-6, 7-5 at No. 2 doubles. Burkhardt lost 6-0, 6-0 at No. 1 singles, Slygh lost 6-3, 7-6 (10-8) at No. 2 singles and Lauguna-Rafeal and Poling lost 6-3, 7-5 at No. 1 doubles.

On Friday, Southwestern defeated Milan 3-2 at home.

Hatton claimed a 6-4, 7-5 win at No. 2 singles, Barnes won 6-1, 6-0 at No. 3 singles and Crawford and Hite won 6-4, 6-4 at No. 2 doubles. LaRue lost at No. 1 singles and seniors Hardy and Gross fell 6-4, 7-5 at No. 1 doubles.

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Madison golf finishes in between Center Grove teams at own invite

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Madison's golfers found themselves in the middle of a Center Grove sandwich, placing second in their own Madison Invitational Saturday at Sunrise Golf Course.

Center Grove sent two squads to Madison with the "Red" team shooting a 305 to win the event and the "White" squad placing third with a 327.

Madison finished in between the two Trojans quintets with a 319 that was good for second overall in the 16-team field. Switzerland County was 11th overall with a 413, Madison's Junior Varsity was 12th with a 429, Southwestern was 13th with a 430 and Shawe did not field a complete team.

Center Grove Red's Nathan Springer was the low-medalist with a 73 while teammate Coen Bauschek was second just a stroke back. Centerville teammates Brady Moore (75) and Braden Tedder were the next lowest, with a 75 and 77.

Madison's Henry Ashley and Clayton Benkert each shot 77 to pace the Cubs while Luke Barron had an 81, Landon True an 84 and Jackson Lynch an 85.

Brayden Ricketts fired a 93 to lead the Madison JV with Jayce Sharp shooting a 101, Roman Lytle a 117, Collin McKay a 118 and Jackson Dean a 120.

Ethan Weaver and Jacob Stewart each shot 99 to lead Switzerland County, Ben Bovard a 105, Jacob Williams a 110 and Aiden Ferrari a 123.

Max Joseph led Southwestern with a 105, Blake Boley and Wyatt Barker each had a 108, Adam Boley a 109, and Wayde Barker a 116.

Shawe's Eli Turner, his team's lone participant, had an 84.

Full team scores were: Center Grove Red 305, Madison 319, Center Grove White 327, Centerville 365, Lawrenceburg 367, Austin 368, Scottsburg 378, Silver Creek 385, Providence 399, North Harrison 401, Switzerland Co. 413, Madison JV 429, Southwestern 430.

Switzerland County hosted Madison and Jac-Cen-Del on Monday and Southwestern hosts Switzerland and South Ripley on Tuesday and Switzerland and Milan on Thursday. Shawe travels to Lawrenceburg on Tuesday and to Jac-Cen-Del on Thursday.

Madison then competes in the Batesville Invitational on Saturday while Shawe plays in the Hauser Invitational on Saturday.

CALENDAR

Tuesday, May 2

BASEBALL

Trimble Co. hosts Owen Co., 5:30 p.m.
Carroll Co. at Eminence, 6 p.m.
Madison hosts Scottsburg, 6 p.m.
Southwestern hosts Seymour, 6 p.m.

GOLF

Southwestern hosts Switzerland Co., South Ripley, 4:30 p.m.
Shawe at Lawrenceburg, 5:30 p.m.

SOFTBALL

Madison hosts Columbus East, 5:30 p.m.
Carroll Co. at Eminence, 6 p.m.
Trimble Co. hosts Owen Co., 7:30 p.m.

TENNIS

Madison hosts Austin, 4:30 p.m.
Southwestern hosts New Washington, 4:30 p.m.

TRACK & FIELD

Shawe, Switzerland Co. at South Ripley, 5 p.m.
Southwestern hosts Charlestown, Christian Academy, 5 p.m.
Madison hosts Jennings Co., 5:30 p.m.

VOLLEYBALL

Madison boys host Columbus East, 6 p.m.

Wednesday, May 3

BASEBALL

Shawe hosts Jac-Cen-Del, 5 p.m.
Switzerland Co. hosts South Ripley, 5 p.m.
Southwestern at Rising Sun, 5:30 p.m.

LACROSSE

Hanover women at Transylvania, HCLC Tournament, 4 p.m.

SOFTBALL

Hanover hosts Franklin, 3 p.m. (DH)
Switzerland Co. hosts South Ripley, 5 p.m.
Carroll Co. at Walton-Verona, 5:30 p.m.
Madison hosts Salem, 5:30 p.m.
Southwestern at Rising Sun, 5:30 p.m.
Trimble Co. hosts St. Henry, 6 p.m.

TENNIS

Carroll Co. at Oldham Co., 4:30 p.m.

Thursday, May 4

BASEBALL

Shawe at Trinity Lutheran, 5:30 p.m.
Trimble Co. at Henry Co., 5:30 p.m.
Carroll Co. hosts Eminence, 6 p.m.

GOLF

Shawe at Jac-Cen-Del, 4:30 p.m.
Southwestern hosts Switzerland Co., Milan, 4:30 p.m.

SOFTBALL

Madison hosts Hauser, 5:30 p.m.
Carroll Co. hosts Eminence, 6 p.m.
Trimble Co. at Henry Co., 7:30 p.m.

TENNIS

Trimble Co. hosts Henry Co., 4:30 p.m.
Madison at Milan, 4:45 p.m.
Shawe hosts South Dearborn, 5 p.m.

TRACK & FIELD

Southwestern, Switzerland Co., Rising Sun Invitational, 5 p.m.
Trimble Co. hosts Henry Co., 5 p.m.
Madison, Big Blue Relays at Jennings Co., 5:30 p.m.

Friday, May 5

BASEBALL

Southwestern at Jac-Cen-Del, 5 p.m.
Switzerland Co. hosts Rising Sun, 5:30 p.m.
Trimble Co. hosts Williamstown, 5:30 p.m.
Carroll Co. at Scott, 6 p.m.

SOFTBALL

Southwestern at Jac-Cen-Del, 5 p.m.
Switzerland Co. hosts Rising Sun, 5 p.m.

TENNIS

Madison hosts Jennings Co., 5 p.m.

VOLLEYBALL

Madison boys host Scottsburg, 6:30 p.m.

HANOVER ROUNDUP

Hanover women edge Manchester, Rose-Hulman to win HCAC track title

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Hanover College women's track & field edged Manchester by 1.5 points to win the Heartland Collegiate Athletic Conference championship Saturday in Franklin.

The Hanover women scored 165 points to 163.5 for Manchester. Rose-Hulman was a close third with 161 points.

Rose-Hulman easily won the men's title with 185 points. Hanover was fourth with 72.

The Hanover women won only three events but their depth carried the day. Nina Jazdzewski won the pole vault at 2.96 meters, Jessie Stenger won the discus at 43.62 meters and Amberliegh Sorensen won the 800-meter run in 2:24.55.

Nick Stroud claimed the men's discus throw at 47.40 meters, Hanover's only win on the men's side.

Other top finishes for the Hanover women were: Sorensen, second, 1500 run, 4:57.45; Aliza Boles, second, pole vault, 2.66m; Jessica Beckman, second, discus, 43.08m, second, hammer, 43.85m, third, shot put, 12.52m and third, javelin, 37.44m; Stenger, second, shot put, 13.50m; Ally McGuire, third, pole vault, 2.51m; Kennadi Lakins, third, high jump, 1.51m; Hanna Whitney, third, 3000 steeplechase, 12:47.50; and Zaleeya Martin, third, 100 dash, 12.39.

Other top finishes for the Hanover men were: Jamyes Evans, Anthony Lloyd, Erik Perkins and Torion'Ja Forrest, second, 1600 relay, 3:27.17; Forrest, third, 400 hurdles, 58.10; Jake Kehoe, third, shot put, 15.01m; Perkins, Lloyd, Layden Adair and Forrest, fourth, 400 relay, 43.04; Stroud, fourth, shot put, 14.43m; Lloyd, fifth, 100 dash, 11.04 and fifth, high jump, 1.80m; Conner Watson, fifth, 5000 run, 15:38.02 and fifth, 3000 steeplechase, 10:00.95; and Will Simpson, fifth, 110 hurdles, 17.62.

MEN'S TENNIS 2ND IN HCAC

Hanover men's tennis suffered a 5-4 loss to Transylvania in the championship match of the HCAC Tournament in Nicholasville, Kentucky, on Sunday.

Hanover's Rodolfo Jacome and Abhay Singh scored an 8-7 win at No. 3 doubles and the Panthers got three wins in singles with Jedrek Brodzki winning 0-6, 6-0, 6-3 at No. 2, Singh 6-4, 4-6, 7-5 at No. 3 and Vincent Jaouen winning 7-5, 6-2 at No. 5. But the Panthers couldn't get the crucial fifth win to claim victory.

On Saturday, Hanover rolled over Anderson 5-0 in the semifinals.

The Panthers won all three doubles matches with Brodzki and Connor Garrison winning 8-5 at No. 1, Joey Keal and Charley Williams 8-2 at No. 2 and Singh and Jacome 8-3 at No. 3. Keal then won 6-1, 6-2 at No. 1 singles and Brodzki won 6-0, 6-4 at No. 2 singles to end the match.

Hanover ends the season with a 9-7 record.

WOMEN'S GOLF PLACES 4TH

Hanover women's golf placed fourth in the HCAC Championships at the Moose Landing Country Club in Ottawa, Ohio, over the weekend.

The Panthers shot a three-round total of 1,018 (350-332-336). Rose-Hulman won the championship with a 962 (334-308-320).

Hailey Hansen led Hanover by coming in fifth overall with a 242 (81-82-79). Taylor Caldwell (92-83-85) and Taylor Drake (88-85-87) each tied for 14th with a 260, Mallory Morti was 18th with a 262 (89-82-91) and Kambrie Cooper tied for 22nd with a 269 (96-88-85).

Madison's Jenna Imel, now playing for Franklin, shot a 312 (102-104-106) and placed 38th.

MEN'S LACROSSE FALLS IN HCLC

Hanover men's lacrosse saw its season come to an end with a 14-4 loss to Southwestern (Texas) in the semifinals of the Heartland Collegiate Lacrosse Conference Tournament Friday at home.

The Panthers got two goals each from Alex Kleinhelter and Nick Adams in the loss while Dirk Meinhart and Will Slover each had an assist. Goalie Lance Guttormson had 15 saves.

Hanover ends the season with a 7-8 record.

BASEBALL SPLITS WITH MANCHESTER

Hanover split a baseball doubleheader at home with Manchester on Saturday, losing 7-4 in the opener but winning 16-7 in the second game.

Alex Christie hit a home run and Connor Farnsley, Jacob Dupps and Spencer Martinelle each had two hits for Hanover in the opener. Matthew Alter suffered the loss on the mound after giving up four earned runs on eight hits in six innings with seven strikeouts.

Hanover collected 16 hits in game two with Dupps hitting a home run and a double and Christie going 3-for-6 with a double, an RBI and three runs scored. Marcus Goodpaster pitched eight innings and gave up three earned runs on 10 hits for the win.

Hanover's doubleheader at Anderson on Sunday was postponed due to the weather.

Hanover, now 12-21 overall and 6-10 in the HCAC, closes out the regular season with two games at Defiance on Saturday and two at home against Bluffton on Sunday.

WOMEN'S LACROSSE FALLS

Anderson scored six goals in the fourth quarter to beat Hanover 12-11 in women's lacrosse Saturday at Alumni Stadium.

Masi McNally-Henriksen scored six goals, Katie Comer had four goals and one assist, and Taylor McNally-Henriksen had a goal for Hanover in the loss. Marissa Bardo stopped 10 shots in goal for the Panthers.

Hanover, now 2-9 overall, finishes 2-3 in the HCLC and will be the No. 4 seed in the postseason tournament. The Panthers travel to top-seeded Transylvania on Wednesday for the semifinals of the HCLC Tournament. The championship match will be on Saturday.

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Hanover College's women's track & field team won the 2023 Heartland Collegiate Athletic Conference Outdoor championship on Saturday.

COURIERAREA SPORTS SHORTS

BY THE COURIER STAFF

— Southwestern's Jordan DeAtley and Ashley Fulton were named Ohio River Valley Conference players of the week.

DeAtley won the award in baseball after collecting six hits, scoring six runs and driving in six runs in two games and also striking out 10 and allowing two hits on the mound in the win.

Fulton won the award in softball after going 12-for-16 at the plate with a home run, five doubles and 13 RBIs in four games.

— Trimble County's Jaelynn Holbrook has been named North Central Kentucky Conference softball player of the week.

Holbrook was 6-for-8 from the plate with two doubles, seven RBIs, five runs scored and no strikeouts during the week.

— Shawe junior varsity tennis split two matches against Henryville on Thursday.

Natalia Skarzynska won 8-0 in singles. Gabby Cabrales and Kimberly Ortiz lost 8-4 in doubles.

— Southwestern junior varsity tennis players claimed several wins the week.

Jocelyn Johnson scored singles wins over Madison

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TUESDAY EVENING

	Jefferson Switzerland	Trimble/ Carroll	6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM
3 WAVE	6	2	WA..	NBC..	WA..	News	Night	Lopez..	The Wall (N)		Weak Link (N)		WA..
4 WTTV	4		CBS4..	CBS..	BigBa..	Sheldon	FBI		FBI: Int		FBI-Wanted		CBS4..
5 WLWT	2		News	NBC..	WLWT	Holly..	Night	Lopez..	The Wall (N)		Weak Link (N)		News
8 WISH	12		News (N)		Insid..	ET (N)	Superman (N)		Gotham Kn. (N)		News (N)		News
9 WCPO	23		News	World..	News	The List	The Rookie (SF)		Feds (N) (SF)		Will Trent (SF)		News
11 WHAS	11	4	News	World..	ET (N)	Insid..	The Rookie (SF)		Feds (N) (SF)		Will Trent (SF)		News
15 WKPC	13		Ameri..	Edition	NewsHour (N)		Roots		My Grandp		In Footsteps		BBC..
19 WXIX	10		FOX19	FOX19	Wheel	Jeopa..	Lone Star (N)		Accused (N)		FOX19 (N)		FOX19
32 WLKY	5	5	News	CBS..	Wheel	Jeopa..	FBI		FBI: Int		FBI-Wanted		News
34 WBKI	7	7	Neighb..	House..	Sheldon	BigBa..	Superman (N)		Gotham Kn. (N)		BigBa..	Sheldon	black-i..
41 WDRB	8	9	WD..	News	Judge..	Judge..	Lone Star (N)		Accused (N)		WDRB News		WD..
A&E	28	36	Neigh..	Neigh..	Neigh..	Neigh..	Neigh..	Neigh..	Neigh..	Neigh..	Road..	Road..	Neigh..
AMC	29	26	(5:00) ★★★★ Cast Away				★★★★ G.I. Jane ('97) Demi Moore.						Movie
COM	45	59	TheOf..	TheOf..	TheOf..	TheOf..	(:20) The Office		TheOf..	TheOf..	TheOf..	TheOf..	Daily..
DISC	31	38	(5:00) Catch		Deadliest (N)		Catch (N)		Homestead		Deadliest Catch		Catch
DISN	25	29	Kiff	Kiff	Ladyb..	Marvel..	Big City	Big City	Jessie	Jessie	Big City	Hams..	Marvel..
ESPN	32	44	SportCtr (N)		SportsCenter		NHL Hockey Second Round: Teams TBA					NHL Hockey	
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FX	40	28	(5:00) ★★★★ Iron Man ('08)				★ Captain America: The First Avenger					★ Captain Am...	
HBO	201	17	(5:30) ..	★★★★ King Richard ('21) Will Smith.					★ 1000% Me: ...		White		Barry
MAX	270	73	(:05) ★★★ Overboard ('87)				★ Edward Scissorhands			(:45) ★ What's Eating Gilbert G...			
NEWSNTN	20	20	Elizabeth (N)		On Balance (N)		Cuomo (N)		Dan Abrams		Banfield (N)		Cuomo
PARMT	35	41	TwoM..	TwoM..	TwoM..	TwoM..	★★★★★ Forrest Gump ('94) Robin Wright, Tom Hanks.						
SHOW	221	16	(:15) ★ Burn Mother...ker, Burn!				★★★★★ Dances With Wolves ('90) (P)						Waco..
TMC	233	74	★★★★ Mr. Malcolm's List ('22)				★★★★ Shakespeare in Love ('98)				(:05) ★★★★ Snowpiercer		
TNT	27	43	(5:00) ★ 2 Fast 2...		Prega..		Basketball Playoffs: Teams TBA (N) (Live)				NBA Basketball		
USA	26	33	Law-SVU		Law-SVU		WWE NXT (N) (Live)				(:10) ★ We Are Marshall		

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5 WLWT	2		News	NBC..	WLWT	Holly..	Chicago (N)		Chi. Fire (N)		Chicago (N)		News
8 WISH	12		News (N)		Insid..	ET (N)	The Flash (N)		Riverdale (N)		News (N)		News
9 WCPO	23		News	World..	News	The List	Conners	Goldb..	NotDe..	NotDe..	A Million (F)		News
11 WHAS	11	4	News	World..	ET (N)	Insid..	Conners	Goldb..	NotDe..	NotDe..	A Million (F)		News
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19 WXIX	10		FOX19	FOX19	Wheel	Jeopa..	Masked (N)		Farmer (N)		FOX19 (N)		FOX19
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34 WBKI	7	7	Neighb..	House..	Sheldon	BigBa..	The Flash (N)		Riverdale (N)		BigBa..	Sheldon	black-i..
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AMC	29	26	(5:00) ★★★★ G.I. Jane ('97)				★★★★ Twister ('96) Helen Hunt.					★★★ Jumanji	
COM	45	59	South..	South..	South..	South..	South..	South..	South..	South..	Digma..	Awk..	Daily..
DISC	31	38	Master Distiller		Master Distiller		Moonshine (N)		Belushi (N)		HiSci..	HiSci..	Distiller
DISN	25	29	Kiff	Kiff	Ladyb..	Marvel..	Big City	Big City	Villains	Villains	Big City	Hams..	Marvel..
ESPN	32	44	SportCtr (N)		SportsCenter		NHL Hockey Second Round: Teams TBA					NHL Hockey	
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5 WLWT	2		News	NBC..	WLWT	Holly..	Law (N)		Law-SVU (N)		Law-Crime (N)		News
8 WISH	12		News (N)		Zone	ET (N)	Walker (N)		100 Days		News (N)		News
9 WCPO	23		News	World..	News	The List	Station 19 (N)		Anatomy (N)		20/20		News
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DISC	31	38	BattleBots "The Big Reveal" (N)				BattleBots (N)					Mark (N)	
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HBO	201	17	100-Foot Wave		(:55) Succession		★★★ Knowing ('09) Nicolas Cage.				Barry	Some..	White
MAX	270	73	(:05) ★★★ Run All Night ('15)				★ Hot Tub Time Machi...			(:40) ★★ The New Guy (P)			Movie
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SHOW	221	16	Coupl..	(:45) ★★★★ Se7en ('95) Brad Pitt. (P)					Waco: The		★ Bodies Bodies Bodies		
TMC	233	74	(5:50) ★ Bandit ('22) Josh Duhamel.				★★★ The General's Daughter				★ MVP ('22) Mo McRae.		
TNT	27	43	(4:00) ★ Furious 7		NHLP..		NHL Hockey Second Round: Teams TBA				NHL Hockey		
USA	26	33	(5:30) ★★★★ Jurassic Park ('93)				(:15) ★★★ The Lost World: Jurassic Park ('97)						Movie

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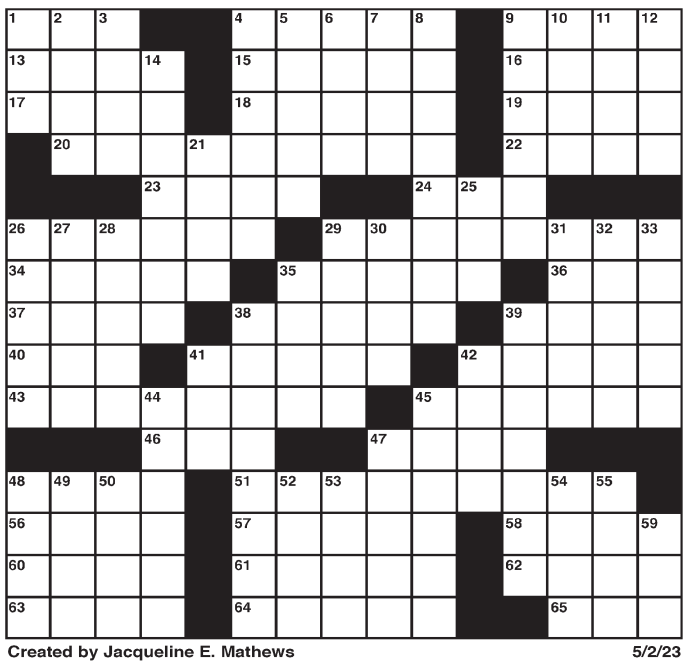
ACROSS
1 Furious
4 Groucho's prop
9 Down in the dumps
13 Baldwin, for one
15 Make amends
16 __ up; revolt
17 Within earshot
18 Bread from heaven
19 Tip jar fillers
20 Suffering from insomnia
22 Cruz & Turner
23 First king of Israel
24 Bit of grain
26 Explosions
29 Cockney, for one
34 Bylaws
35 Changed addresses
36 "__ Miss"; So. univ.
37 Deeds
38 Built up a nest egg
39 Aretha's music
40 Hothead's problem
41 __ space; UFO's origin
42 Bamboo muncher
43 Crazy
45 Jazz trombonist Tommy
46 Henpeck
47 Property document
48 Stylish
51 Producing desired results
56 "Thirty days __ September…"
57 Snail trail
58 __ as a pin
60 Hemingway's "The Sun __ Rises"
61 Claw
62 Carve in stone
63 Precious
64 __ time with; visited
65 Opposite of forward

DOWN
1 Guy
2 Thirst quenchers
3 Great buy
4 School grounds
5 Know-__; smart aleck
6 "__ with the Wind"
7 Landers & Richards
8 Thought logically
9 Small cave
10 Word attached to air or hem
11 Previously owned
12 Hoarder's surroundings
14 Salad greens
21 Gets full
25 Use a plus sign
26 Interweave
27 Filthy __; ill-gotten profits
28 Revised
29 Thought the world of
30 Higher than
31 Lunch hours
32 Dodge
33 Pass on, as a message
35 Husband or wife
38 Offers advice
39 Fish in a tin
41 Stop __ dime
42 Donne or Tennyson
44 TV news presenter
45 Not naked
47 Speed __; fast driver
48 African nation
49 Healthy
50 "__ Wonderful Life"
52 Envelope part
53 Smoothing device
54 Doggy docs
55 __ other; one another
59 Your



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Today's Puzzle Solved

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5 Petty argument
9 Skin mark
13 Ocean __; passenger ship
15 Book leaf
16 Ginormous
17 "Home __"; hit 1990 film
18 Extended; drawn out
20 __ diem; for each day
21 MD, for short
23 James of "Gunsmoke"
24 Over the legal limit
26 Purrer
27 For each person
29 Benghazi resident
32 Wash away suds
33 Baseball card data
35 Use scissors
37 Winter garb
38 Like salsa & buffalo wings
39 A-F connection
40 Tiny home
41 Feistiness
42 Military attack
43 English __; hunting dog
45 Taken from the rightful owner
46 Linden of "Barney Miller"
47 Bullwinkle, e.g.
48 Sudden excitement
51 Family card game
52 __ Reiner
55 Hold two jobs
58 Pack animal
60 Run __; go wild
61 Orderly
62 Ribbon fabric, often
63 NBA team
64 Birthstones
65 Acquires

DOWN
1 Strike with open hand
2 Very long river
3 Exceeding reasonable limits
4 Young Boy Scout's age
5 Particle of glitter
6 Buddy
7 Long __; way back
8 Perseverance
9 Shack
10 __ as a button
11 Ice __; cold times of old
12 Cincinnati team
14 Diminish
19 Seizes
22 Very late bedtime
25 Take a nap
27 __ supports; foot pain relievers
28 Prayerful
29 Scarcity
30 Speed up
31 Elbow
33 __ on; incite
34 Element whose symbol is Sn
36 Adolescent
38 Participating in a bee
39 Brief life sketches
41 Drag one's feet
42 Bar seats
44 Uses one's noggin
45 Arlo, to Woody
47 Mixed-breed dogs
48 U.S. Treasury agt.
49 Residence
50 __ for; cheer on
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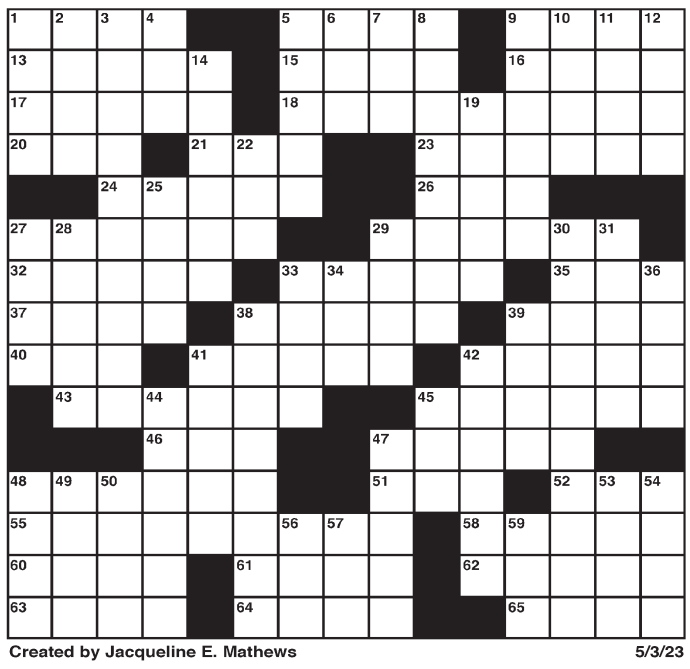
57 Chicken cordon bleu ingredient
59 Fail to keep up



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Today's Puzzle Solved

Family wants to avoid in-laws' drinking

AMY DICKINSON
ASK AMY

Dear Amy: My husband and I have been married for 19 years. His brother is an alcoholic, which is a common theme in his family. He has been unfaithful to his wife on numerous occasions.

At a family event (about six years ago), he made sexual advances toward me. I told my husband that his brother makes me very uncomfortable and I do not want him around our kids with his level of drinking, but didn't want to cause a huge family rift, as his wife had been put through so much already.

We are the more successful/healthy of all the siblings and are perceived as snobby. We have kept our space for many years. We celebrate holidays without my in-laws, as they believe that we should just ignore these issues.

My husband recently decided to attend a family gathering (solo) and brought his brand-new sports car (which cost six figures). His brother took the vehicle for a ride (drunk) without his permission. The brothers have not spoken since.

My mother-in-law is aware of these issues and spends every holiday with them and still invites us to their gatherings, despite knowing that we don't want to attend.

We would only reconsider reconciliation if his brother was to receive treatment and be in recovery.

My in-laws have an air about them that we are wrong and keeping the family apart, which is very hurtful to us and their granddaughters. Why can't they realize the importance of having an individual relationship with our family? — Frustrated in NY

Dear Frustrated: Despite your evident and understandable frustration, the tone and content of your question reveals a strong desire to control your in-laws — to get all of them to recognize the impact of your brother-in-law's drinking, to pull them around to accepting your perspective, and even to convince them to have "an individual relationship" with your family.

You have made your own choices — according to your own family values and preferences.

They are doing the same.

You refuse to enable your brother-in-law's drinking, or to even be around him if he might be drinking. That's an understandable choice.

Siblings Zoom away from family meetings

AMY DICKINSON
ASK AMY

Dear Amy: I'm the youngest of three siblings. My two brothers live a couple of states away from our parents, who are in their 80s. I live the farthest away, on the opposite coast.

At the beginning of the pandemic, like most families, we connected on Zoom. There were tech hurdles for my parents, but they navigated them as best they could.

A couple of times we played games, had virtual parties, or watched funny cartoon clips, but the relatively boring meetings where we exchange small talk seem to be the most popular.

For my rapidly aging parents, I think these one-hour monthly meetings are a lifeline. It's like magic to them to see us all on their laptop.

However, also like most families, the desire to continue this has diminished, especially as people are doing more things in person. But we still live very far apart, and I'm increasingly frustrated and sad that they're unable or unwilling to show up.

I'm aware that our parents will not be around forever, and I know that they really do enjoy these Zoom calls. Clearly, I do, too! I've invested a lot in making these events happen. I purchased a paid plan so that we can go as long as needed. I host them at a time that's not ideal for me (three hours ahead) but that seems to work best for the rest of the group, and I send out reminders with links to join and a funny image each month. I've also made slideshows and custom games for the virtual meetings.

This diminished desire is understandable among my brothers' kids, who are in their late 20s. My son is 12 and I want him to learn that you show up for family. I also want to see my family as much as I can, and for my son to see them as well.

Any advice for how to manage my feelings and/or make these Zoom meetings more attractive to my family? — Seeking Family Connection

Dear Seeking: I applaud your efforts to set up these meetings, and to keep them going. I assume other families are experiencing the dynamic you describe.

I suggest contacting both of your brothers to express your concerns regarding these virtual meetings.

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ASTROLOGY

ARIES (March 21-April 19) — You can feel better about yourself if you are generous and give someone the benefit of the doubt. Investigate your options and you may realize you do not need to be extravagant or spend money on disposable luxury items.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) — It may be too expensive to maintain the lifestyle of the rich and famous. It might be best to spend your money on existing obligations and avoid taking on any additional debt right now. Put off signing contracts or agreements for now.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) — You may be challenged to manage baffling problems or find that you can work better by yourself. Although you might be able to pinpoint the source of your troubles, it could be best to wait rather than acting immediately.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) — Remain tactful to stay on someone's good side. Misinterpreting social signals can make someone feel uncomfortable. Be a steadfast, supportive partner and you may be able to share in the rewards for a job well done.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) — Someone may not agree with you, but that alone should not change your mind. Discuss your options and alternatives. You might not realize that the actions you take now can impact your ability to achieve your long-term goals.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) — A think tank might float on the surface of group efficiency. Your potentially impressive ideas must be beneficial for others as well as yourself. Enlist the support of other people who share your social consciousness and ideals.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) — It might be smart to act with extra politeness and consideration so you don't unintentionally give someone the wrong impression. Stay in your lane at work and take a rain check on a social invitation.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) — Make it a habit to foster harmony. Minor misunderstandings can be intensified by doubts or suspicions. If someone challenges your ideas, have faith that they can be worthwhile and could be achieved over time.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) — Adopt a calm and unruffled manner to avoid possible misunderstandings. An offhand remark could be misinterpreted and spark a dispute. Family feuds might leave you scrambling to perform damage control.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) — No ends ever justify harmful means. Let someone have their way because it could cause too much trouble to be meticulous over the delicate details. You have a personal goal you can achieve if you are not distracted.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) — Every dollar saved is a dollar earned. Try not to make unnecessary purchases, especially if the sole reason for acquiring them is to impress someone. Make a distinction between your wants and your needs.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) — You may feel that you must make a sacrifice to prove your affection. It is possible that someone is trying to dramatize a situation to make you feel guilty enough to give in. Wait a few days to make a firm decision.

ASTROLOGY

ARIES (March 21-April 19) — You may be taken in by someone's flattery. Just because you are trustworthy does not always mean that you can expect someone else to be as dependable or available in a crunch. Surface appearances may be deceptive.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) — There are some things you cannot take at face value. You may enjoy some fascinating conversations or learn something that alters your opinions. However, you may be gullible when it comes to a new purchase.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) — Your kindness and sympathy might be somewhat misplaced but could still bring a warm glow to everyone's heart. A barrage of conflicting opinions could be confusing, but if you are patient the best choice should become apparent.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) — Not every knock on the door is an opportunity. You may react too quickly and take a risk because you expect everything to go your way. It might be better to wait and take your time before spending your cash.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) — Dissecting every comment may not be constructive. You might only hear what you wish to hear or miss the fine print in advertising materials. Delay negotiations or important purchases for now to avoid misunderstandings.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) — If you're feeling insecure, remind yourself of large and small things you are proud of. If you get triggered when challenged or facing unexpected changes, do some self-work. Hold off on making major purchases.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) — Keep your end of a bargain. You will regret it later if you slack off or forget to perform a task that seems unimportant now. You might feel that you have gotten in over your head if you have made a weighty promise.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) — You could find a solution on your own, but the innovative ideas of a friend or partner may be more useful. You owe it to a family member, friend or co-worker to follow through on your promises and decisions.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) — Someone close may hide their hurt feelings or discomfort. Remain observant and try to bring a dose of positivity and good humor. You should easily manage an unexpected change of plan.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) — You may not be at your best right now so hold off on important business meetings or serious decisions. A family member might have an intriguing idea that will help you achieve one of your goals.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) — Think twice before you replace something old with something new. It might seem necessary to abandon something that no longer fits in your home or lifestyle, but wait. It may prove more useful to keep.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) — You or someone you know can be contrary today. When it is obvious that someone needs assistance, they may feel resentful of any help offered. Consider opening your heart and home to a rescue pet.

Madison volleyball claims two wins in Perry Meridian Invite

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Madison boys volleyball won two games in the Perry Meridian Invitational in Indianapolis on Saturday.

The Cubs dropped the opener to host Perry Meridian 2-0 (25-7, 25-15), but then defeated Lafayette Harrison 2-0 (25-15, 25-16) and Lafayette Jefferson 2-1 (20-25, 25-18, 15-11. Madison ended the tournament with a 2-0 (25-17, 25-20) loss to McCutcheon.

Against Perry Meridian, Ian Eiriksson was 4-for-4 serving with a block and a dig, Collin Hite was 3-for-3 serving with an ace and two digs, Liam Roney had three kills, Kyle Roney had two kills, Jaden Wooldridge had three blocks, and Sonny Koren had six assists.

Against Harrison, Hite was 8-for-9 serving with two aces, five kills and two digs, Koren was 7-for-7 serving with an ace and 15 assists, Eiriksson was 7-for-8 serving with three aces and a kill, Liam Roney had five kills and three blocks, Wooldridge had five kills and two blocks, and Isaiah Newman had three digs.

Against Jefferson, Harrison Hall was 9-for-11 serving with two digs, Hite was 7-for-10 serving with two aces and six kills, Eirksson was 8-for-9 serving with two aces and three kills, Kyle Roney was 7-for-8 serving with two aces, two kills, two blocks and two digs, Liam Roney had 10 kills and four blocks, Newman had three digs and Koren had 22 assists.

Against McCutcheon, Kyle Roney was 8-for-8 serving with four aces and two kills, Hite was 7-of-10 serving, Liam Roney had nine kills and a block, and Koren had 13 assists.

Madison, now 10-8 on the season, wraps up the regular season this week with two home games, against Columbus East on Tuesday and Scottsburg on Friday. The sectional tournament will be May 12-13.

SHORTS

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and Milan, while Adrea Earl and Emily Keeton, and Cheyanne Black and Afton Kuppler won in doubles.

— Registration is underway for the Molly Dattilo 5K Run/Walk to held Saturday, May 13, beginning and finishing at Bicentennial Park in downtown Madison.

In the 5K run, there will be awards for male and female runners in age categories. The 5K run begins at 8 a.m. with the 5K walk starting at 8:05 a.m. There will also be elementary races — 9:15 a.m. with the half-mile girls run for Kindergarten through third grade, 9:30 a.m. with the half-mile boys run for Kindergarten through third grade, 9:45 a.m. with the one-mile girls run for grades 3-6, and the 10 a.m. one-mile run boys run for grades 3-6.

Entry fee for the 5K Run/Walk is $25 that includes a shirt with that fee increasing to $30 on race day. Entry fee for student races with a T-shirt is $14 and without a shirt is $7.

Entry forms are available at various locations throughout the city including businesses, schools, the library, City Hall and the Madison Visitor Center.

Register online at www.mollydattilorunwalk.weebly.com or mail entry form to Molly Dattilo Run, 1512 East State Road 250, Madison, Indiana, 47250.

Madison sweeps DH from South Dearborn

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Madison kept its baseball train rolling, sweeping South Dearborn in a doubleheader at home on Saturday for its eighth win in the past nine games.

The first game was a blowout as Madison scored two runs in the first inning and four more in the second en route to an 8-1 win.

Zander Vonch was 3-for-4 with a double and an RBI for the Cubs while Drew Forner had a triple and three RBIs, Colin Yancey had a double and scored a run, Ben Orrill had a hit and two RBIs, Liam Murphy and Mitchell Cammack each had a hit and scored a run, and Clint Hearne scored twice.

Orrill went the distance and picked up the win, allowing one run on five hits over seven innings with 13 strikeouts and no walks.

The second game was much closer with Madison getting a walk-off RBI from Nick Johnson in the bottom of the seventh to claim the 6-5 win.

Hearne had two hits, an RBI and a run scored, Yancey had two hits and scored twice, Forner and Orrill each had two hits and an RBI, and Johnson had a hit.

Ashton Carie got the win in relief after giving up two earned runs on two hits in two innings with three strikeouts.

Madison's game at Salem on Friday was rained out.

Madison, now 12-5 on the season, host Scottsburg on Tuesday and Lawrenceburg on Friday. The Cubs then travel to Corydon for two games on Saturday.

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TRACK ROUNDUP

Switzerland girls win own Vevay Track Invite

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Switzerland County's girls only won four events but used their depth to claim victory in the Vevay Media Group Invitational in Vevay on Thursday.

Gracie White won the 800-meter run in 2:29.32 and Claire Rogers won the 3200 run in 12:10.12, while the Pacers won the 400 relay in 54.36 and the 1600 relay in 4:36.58.

Meanwhile, Southwestern's girls 3200 relay won that event with a time of 11:27.22.

Other top finishes for the Switzerland girls were: White, second, 1600 run, 6:17.07; Lauren Smith, second, 100 dash, 13.75 and second, 200 dash, 28.48; Baylee Romans, second, high jump, 4-6; Avy Burkholder, second, long jump, 14-2.5 and third, 200 dash, 28.77; Addy Preston, second, shot put, 29-11 and third, discus, 76-5; 3200 relay, second, 12:38.62; Brooklyn Flanders, third, 400 dash, 1:09.04; Rogers, third, 800 run, 2:33.92; Terra Oeffinger, third, 300 hurdles, 1:03.42 and third, shot put, 28-9; and Macy Collier, third, high jump, 4-6.

Top finishes for the Southwestern girls were: Olivia Simpson, second, 400 dash, 2:30.97; 1600 relay, second, 4:49.28; 400 relay, third, 59.62; Kinsten Long, fourth, 3200 run, 14:14.68; Cadence Long, fourth, discus, 75-9 and fourth, shot put, 25-1; Kaylee Renschler, sixth, 2:56.02; Riley Zellers, seventh, 400 dash, 1:14.94; and Makenzie Marion, eighth, 200 dash, 31.43.

Finishes for Shawe's girls were: Kristyna Vaskova, second, 400 dash, 1:07.33 and fifth, 800 run, 2:47.52; Berkeley Neuman, seventh, 100 dash, 15.06, ninth, 200 dash, 32.72 and 10th, long jump, 11-9; Cassidy Nott, seventh, 1600 run, 7:30.05 and 11th, 800 run, 3:37.71; Sophia Ho, eighth, 100 hurdles, 23.19 and 10th, 100 dash, 16.00; and Odyessy Felix, 10th, 200 dash, 33.57 and 10th, shot put, 21-3.

Top finishes for Southwestern's boys were: Carter Harmon, second, discus, 110-0, third, shot put, 37-10 and fourth, 110 hurdles, 18.31; Jackson Taylor, third, 200 dash, 24.13 and fourth, 100 dash, 11.91; Garrett Johnson, third, 110 hurdles, 17.49 and third, 300 hurdles, 44.23; 400 relay, third, 46.63; Kaeden Higgins, fourth, 300 hurdles, 47.83; Daylan Konkle, fourth, high jump, 5-2; Isaac Watson, fourth, shot put, 37-5; Caden Ream, fifth, 3200 run, 12:00.72; 1600 relay, fifth, 3:58.30; and 3200 relay, fifth, 10:00.55.

Top finishes for the Switzerland boys were: Matthew Davis, second, 100 dash, 11.84; Kaden Riley, second, long jump, 18-2; 400 relay, second, 46.14; 3200 relay, second, 9:15.21; 1600 relay, third, 3:51.16; Nathan Furnish, fourth, 800 run, 2:12.33 and fourth, 1600 run, 4:58.09; Dylan Sullivan, fourth, discus, 104-1; Luke Sullivan, fourth, 3200 run, 11:37.24 and fifth, 1600 run, 5:14.61; Ty Lay, fifth, 100 dash, 12.11 and fifth, 200 dash, 24.56; Jalen Brookbank, fifth, 400 dash, 55.67; and Matthew Young, fifth, 300 hurdles, 48.06.

Finishes for Shawe's boys were: Sam Fewell, second, 800 run, 2:08.19 and second, 1600 run, 4:52.34; Matthew Vaughn, 12th, 800 run, 2:47.18 and 13th, 1600 run, 5:59.93; Wyatt Lundergan, 12th, shot put, 26-8; Jose Aguilar, 13th, 100 dash, 13.79, 13th, 200 dash, 27.85 and 14th, discus, 63-11; Nicholas Schultz, 14th, 200 dash, 30.37 and 15th, discus, 58-1; and Wes Schafer, 14th, shot put, 20-3.

Southwestern hosts Charlestown and Christian Academy on Tuesday and the Rebels and Pacers both compete in the Rising Sun Invitational on Thursday. Shawe and Switzerland County compete at South Ripley on Tuesday.

REBELS CO-WINNER AT BORDEN

Southwestern's boys track & field team won six events and took first place overall in quad meet at Borden on Tuesday.

The Rebels scored 88 points to tie Henryville atop the standings. Borden was third with 49 points and Shawe was fourth with 12.

Borden won the girls meet with 125.5 points, Henryville was second with 50.5, Southwestern was third with 36 and Shawe was fourth with 19.

Carter Harmon won three events for Southwestern, the 110-meter hurdles in 17.28, the shot put with a throw of 39 feet, 5.5 inches and the discus at 118 feet, 7.5 inches. Kaeden Higgins won the 300 hurdles in 44.8 and the Rebels won two relays, the 400 in 47.5 and the 1600 in 3:56.7.

Shawe's Sam Fewell won two events, the 800 run in 2:15 and the 1600 run in 4:53.0.

Cadence Long picked up a win in the girls discus with a throw of 76 feet.

Other top finishes for the Southwestern boys were: Jackson Taylor, second, 100 dash, 12.0; Connor Johnson, second, 200 dash, 24.0; Garrett Johnson, second, 110 hurdles, 17.42; Higgins, second, long jump, 17-4; 3200 relay, 10:07.00; Gage Pennington, third, 200 dash, 24.9; Brady Cook, third, 400 dash, 58.5; Harmon, third, high jump, 5-4; Isaac Watson, third, shot put, 34-7.5 and discus, 100-9; and 400 relay, third, 50.7.

Other top finishes for the Shawe boys: Jose Aguilar, seventh, 200 dash, 28.1 and eighth, discus, 69-4; Wyatt Lundergan, seventh, shot put, 28-3.5; and Matthew Vaughn, eighth, 800 run, 2:42.5 and 1600 run, 5:52.5.

Other top finishes for the Southwestern girls were: Tori Gammons, second, 400 dash, 1:06.7 and second, 1600 run, 5:57.8; Olivia Simpson, second, 800 run, 2:33.7; 1600 relay, second, 4:52.8; 3200 relay, 11:02.0; and Kinsten Long, third, 3200 run, 14:18.0.

Top finishes for the Shawe girls were: 400 relay, second, 1:01.5; Berkeley Neuman, third, 100 dash, 14.8 and third, 200 dash, 32.7; Kristyna Vaskova, third, 400 dash, 1:07.21; Odyessy Felix, fourth, 100 dash, 15.5; and Sophia Ho, fourth, 100 hurdles, 23.03.

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Madison shrugs off early deficit to pull away from Switzerland 11-4

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Switzerland County jumped on Madison for three runs in the first two innings but the rest of the game belonged to the Cubs, who rolled to their fifth-straight softball win 11-4 on Friday in Vevay.

The home-standing Pacers jumped on Madison starter Ava Armbrecht with an RBI double by Kayla Cutter in the bottom of the first and scored two runs in the second on a sacrifice fly by Cutter and bases-loaded hit batter to go ahead 3-0.

The lead didn't last long. Molly Armbrecht jump-started a five-run third inning with a one-out double and Madison scored four more runs in the fourth to take a commanding 9-3 lead and never look back.

Ava Armbrecht settled down and ended up going all seven innings, allowing four earned runs on seven hits with eight strikeouts and two walks to get the win.

Hailey Huffman hit her third home run of the season and went 2-for-4 with a double, three RBIs and two runs scored. Ava Armbrecht was 3-for-5 with a double, three RBIs and two runs, Cam Mann was 3-for-5 with two doubles, an RBI and a run, Casey Dyer was 3-for-5 with two RBIs and three runs scored, Molly Armbrecht was 2-for-4 with a double and two runs, Kallie Eder had two hits, an RBI and a run, and Lexi Sullivan had a hit.

Cutter had two hits and two RBIs for Switzerland County, Bri Stow had a triple, an RBI and a run scored, Emily Oatman had a double and a run, Jessica Bruce had a hit and scored a run, and Hayley Adams and Aryanna Cunningham each had a hit.

Oatman allowed 10 earned runs on 16 hits with nine strikeouts and two walks and picked up the win.

Madison, now 14-4 on the season, traveled to Charlestown on Monday and hosts Columbus East on Tuesday. The Cubs then host Salem on Wednesday and Hauser on Thursday before taking the weekend off.

Switzerland, now 4-7, hosts South Ripley on Wednesday and Rising Sun on Friday.

Trimble's Kunkel picks up 3 wins in NCKC meet

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Kinley Kunkel won three events and Rebecca Kainer and Patrick Kainer had two wins each to lead Trimble County at the North Central Kentucky Conference Track & Field Championships at Walton-Verona on Thursday.

Kunkel won the girls 800-meter run in 2:36.05, the 1600 run in 5:30.47 and the 3200 run in 11:43.70. Rebecca Kainer won the girls 100 dash in 13.48 and the 200 dash in 28.36.

On the boys side, Patrick Kainer won the long jump at 20 feet, 6.75 inches and the triple jump at 41 feet. Trimble also won the boys 400 relay in 45.75.

Carroll County's Evan Searcy won the discus at 11 feet, 6 inches and Grayson Kinman won the turbojav at 119 feet, 4 inches.

Other top finishes for the Trimble girls were: 1600 relay, second, 4:46.16; Kainer, third, 400 dash, 1:04.93; Adeline Howerton, third, high jump, 4-4 and sixth, long jump, 10-10; 800 relay, fourth, 2:11.10; Lily Bass, fifth, long jump, 11-5; 400 relay, fifth, 1:01.14; Mady Stark, sixth, shot put, 24-1; Harmony Johnson, eighth, 100 dash, 14.95; Sophie O'Neal, eighth, 400 dash, 1:15.55; and Matelyn Smith, eighth, 1600 run, 6:56.07.

Other top finishes for Trimble's boys were: Ricky Gray, second, 100 dash, 11.24, second, 200 dash, 23.31 and fourth, long jump, 18-0; Patrick Kainer, third, high jump, 5-6; 1600 relay, third, 4:14.00; Ricky Robinson, fourth, discus, 101-3 and fifth, shot put, 36-4; 800 relay, fourth, 1:54.17; 3200 relay, fourth, 11 1 5 . 7 3 ; Owen Jackson, fifth, 100 dash, 11.69 and fifth, 200 dash, 24.04; Kyle Meece, fifth, 110 hurdles, 23.26 and fifth, 300 hurdles, 57.67; Charlie Abbott, fifth, discus, 95-9; and John Campomayor, seventh, 300 hurdles, 1:00.53.

Other top finishes for Carroll's boys were: Seth Franklin, second, high jump, 5-10 and second, triple jump, 40-9; Searcy, second, shot put, 44-8.5; 400 relay, second, 47.92; 800 relay, second, 1:39.57; Brack Cayton-Wright, third, turbojav, 115-6; 3200 relay, third, 11:06.92; Aiden Crutcher, fourth, 110 hurdles, 22.82; Aiden Lilley, fourth, 300 hurdles, 54.79; Bryson Chadwell, fourth, shot put, 36-6; 1600 relay, fourth, 4:14.71; Mitchell Lacefield, sixth, 100 dash, 11.80 and eighth, 200 dash, 24.78; Taylor Harsin, sixth, 1600 run, 5:27.29; and Matthew Butcher, eighth, triple jump, 29-1.

Top finishes for the Carroll girls were: 800 relay, third, 2:08.03; Makayla Keithly, fourth, 300 hurdles, 1:04.21; Macie Miller, fourth, high jump, 4-4, fourth, triple jump, 24-1 and fifth, 100 hurdles, 21.36; 400 relay, fourth, 1:00.36; Katie McAllister, fifth, 200 dash, 30.71 and eighth, turbojav, 38-0; Chloe Young, seventh, turbojav, 50-9; and Savannah Romans, eighth, discus, 53-5 and eighth, shot put, 20-3.

Trimble County hosts Henry County on Thursday. Carroll's next track meet will be at Trimble County on May 10.

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NOTICE TO BIDDERS
2023 Cold Central Plant Recycling (CCPR) Paving for the Jefferson County Highway Department
Jefferson County, Indiana

Notice is hereby given that the Jefferson County Highway Department, of the State of Indiana acting by and through the Board of Commissioners of Jefferson County ("Owner") will receive sealed bid proposals for construction of the 2023 Cold Central Plant Recycling (CCPR) Paving project.
Sealed proposals may be submitted by registered mail or delivered in person. Proposals sent by registered mail shall be submitted to the address below. **Sealed proposals will be received in person at the Jefferson County Highway Department garage, 3135 Clifty Drive, Madison, Indiana 47250 at a public meeting held for this purpose at 10:00 AM EST on Thursday, May 18th, 2023.** All proposals will then be publicly opened and read aloud immediately following this collection period. Any proposals received after the above?designated time will be returned unopened.

Sealed proposals shall be submitted to:
Jefferson County Highway Department
Attn: 2023 CCPR Project
3135 Clifty Drive
Madison, IN 47250

Each proposal shall be a unit price bid. This project provides for the **paving of selected existing roadways with cold central plant recycled material** and all other work incidental to the construction, as required by these Bidding Documents, the Agreement between the Owner and Contractor (the "Agreement"), Indiana Department of Transportation Standard Specifications 2022 including the Supplemental Specifications, General Provisions, and Special Provisions (collectively, the "Specifications").
Only proposals from contractors currently registered on the Indiana Department of Transportation's Prequalified Contractor list and registered through the Beam Longest and Neff plan room will be considered. Any proposals submitted by contractors not fulfilling the above requirements will be returned to the bidder unopened.
Construction Plans and Bidding Documents are available for viewing at the following locations after **12:00 p.m. local time on May 4th, 2023:**

Beam, Longest & Neff, L.L.C.
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Jefferson County Highway Department
3135 Clifty Drive
Madison, IN 47250

Electronic copies of the Bidding Documents may be downloaded free of charge by registered firms from Eastern Engineering through the Beam Longest and Neff plan room at http://www.blnplanroom.com. Further information will be posted there on the Job Details page of the job posting. If printed documents are desired, pricing will be listed on the Order page. Copies of any and all addenda which may be issued for this project shall be forwarded to all plan and specification holders of record. Printed bidding documents can also be purchased in person at Eastern Engineering Supply, 9901 Allisonville Road, Fishers, Indiana, 46038. Please call Eastern Engineering Supply if you have any questions and/or problems with ordering (317-598-0661).
Bids shall be submitted on the Bid Proposal and Itemized Proposal furnished to Bidders. All documents required in the Bidding Documents shall be properly completed, executed and submitted with the Bid Proposal including:
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2) Contractor's Signature Affidavit (if applicable);
3) Bidder shall file a certified check or Bid Bond with each Bid Proposal, in an amount equal to ten (10) percent of the total bid amount, made payable to the Board of Commissioners of Jefferson County, Indiana. The check or bond will be held by the Jefferson County Highway Department as evidence that the bidder will, if awarded the contract, enter into the contract with the Owner within ten (10) consecutive calendar days from the acceptance of the Bid Proposal, the Agreement as included in the Bidding Documents. Failure to enter into the contract will be cause for forfeiture of the sum of the check or bond.
4) A fully executed Legal Status of Bidder form;
5) A fully executed Non-Discrimination Affidavit;
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7) A Contractor's Affidavit of Subcontractors Employed;
8) Filed an Acknowledgement of Receipt of Addendum.
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All Bid Bonds and certified checks of unsuccessful bidders will be returned by the Owner upon selection of the successful Bidder.
The certified check or Bid Bond of the successful Bidder shall be held until delivery of the fully executed Agreement, Performance Bond and Payment Bond.
A Performance Bond with good and sufficient surety, acceptable to the Owner and Engineer, shall be required of the successful Bidder in an amount equal to at least one hundred percent (100%) of the Contract Price, conditioned upon the faithful performance of the Agreement.
The Contractor shall execute a Payment Bond to the Owner, approved by Owner and Engineer and for the benefit of the Owner, in an amount equal to one hundred percent (100%) of the Contract Price. The Payment Bond is binding on the Contractor, the subcontractor, and their successors and assigns for the payment of all indebtedness to a person for labor and services performed, material furnished, or services rendered. The Payment Bond must state that it is for the benefit of the subcontractors, laborers, material suppliers, and those performing services. The surety of the Payment Bond may not be released until one (1) year after the Owner's final settlement with the Contractor.
Failure of a Bidder to enter into the Agreement, execute same and furnish an acceptable Payment Bond and Performance Bond, as hereinafter required, shall be cause for forfeiture of Contractor's certified check or Bid Bond as liquidated damages to the Owner. Bidder will not be permitted to withdraw its bid for sixty (60) days from the date of bid opening.
All out-of-state corporations must have a certificate of authority to do business in the State. Application forms may be obtained by contacting the Secretary of State, State of Indiana, Statehouse, Indianapolis, Indiana 46204.
The Board of Commissioners of Jefferson County reserves the right to waive any and all informalities in the bidding process and to reject any and all bids. All bids submitted shall be valid for sixty (60) days from the date of the bid opening.
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Robert Phillips
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Notice is hereby given to the taxpayers of Jefferson County, Jefferson, County, Indiana, that the County Commissioners will consider at 620 Green Rd. Madison, IN 47250 at 5 o'clock pm on 18th of May, 2023, the establishment of a Cumulative Voting System Fund under the provisions of Indiana Code 3-11-6 for the purposes as follows:
The tax will be levied on all taxable real and personal property within the taxing district and will not exceed $.013 per $100 of assessed valuation. The proposed fund will be levied beginning with taxes due and payable in the year 2024. Taxpayers appearing at such hearing shall have the right to be heard thereon. The proposed tax rate for the Cumulative Voting System Fund is subject to certification by the Department of Local Government Finance.
Within 30 days after the date of the adoption of the cumulative fund by the County Commissioners, the County of Jefferson will publish a Notice of Adoption.
Upon publication of the Notice of Adoption, 25 or more taxpayers in the taxing district may file a petition with the County Auditor not later than noon 30 days after the publication of the Notice of Adoption setting forth their objections to the proposed fund.
Dated this 25th day of April, 2023.
Jefferson County Commissioners

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Rebels drop 2 of 3 over the weekend

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Southwestern had its seven-game win streak snapped and split a doubleheader while facing a pair of Scott County teams late last week.

The Rebels dropped a 5-1 decision at home to Austin on Friday then split a doubleheader at Scottsburg on Saturday, winning 11-8 and losing 9-0.

Both teams managed just three hits but Southwestern's three errors were the difference as Austin claimed the 5-1 win on Friday.

Austin Jenkins hit a home run for Southwestern's lone run of the game while Jordan DeAtley and Tanner Jacobs each had singles for the Rebels. Adam Traylor gave up just two earned ruins on two hits in four innings with seven strikeouts and four walks and took the loss.

Southwestern's bats came alive in the game one win over Scottsburg on Saturday. DeAtley was 3-for-4 with a home run, a double, two RBIs and three runs scored, Jamison Lewis was 2-for-3 with a double, three RBIs and a run, Traylor was 2-for-3 with a double, two RBIs and a run, Barron Welsh had a hit and two RBIs and Brady Cook scored twice.

William Stockdale picked up the win after giving up five earned runs on six hits in four innings with three strikeouts and four walks.

The Rebels were held to five hits in the game two loss. Stockdale was 2-for-4, Jamison Lewis had a double and DeAtley and Mason Lichlyter each had singles. Cook took the loss after allowing two earned runs on five hits in three innings with a strikeout.

Southwestern, now 8-7 on the season, hosted Oldenburg on Monday and hosts Seymour on Tuesday before returning to Ohio River Valley Conference play on Wednesday when it travels to Rising Sun. The Rebels then head to Jac-Cen-Del on Friday.

Carroll softball falls to Henry Co.

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Carroll County softball played with Henry County for four innings before the Lady Cats scored their second lopsided win over the Panthers in three days on Thursday in New Castle, Kentucky.

Henry scored four runs in both the fifth and sixth innings to pull away 9-1 after shutting out the Panthers 12-0 on Tuesday.

Trailing 1-0, the Panthers scored their lone run of the game in the top of the fourth when Brinley Couch opened the inning with a single up the middle, advanced to third on a misplayed pickoff attempt at first and scored when Brooklyn Rose sent an RBI single to third

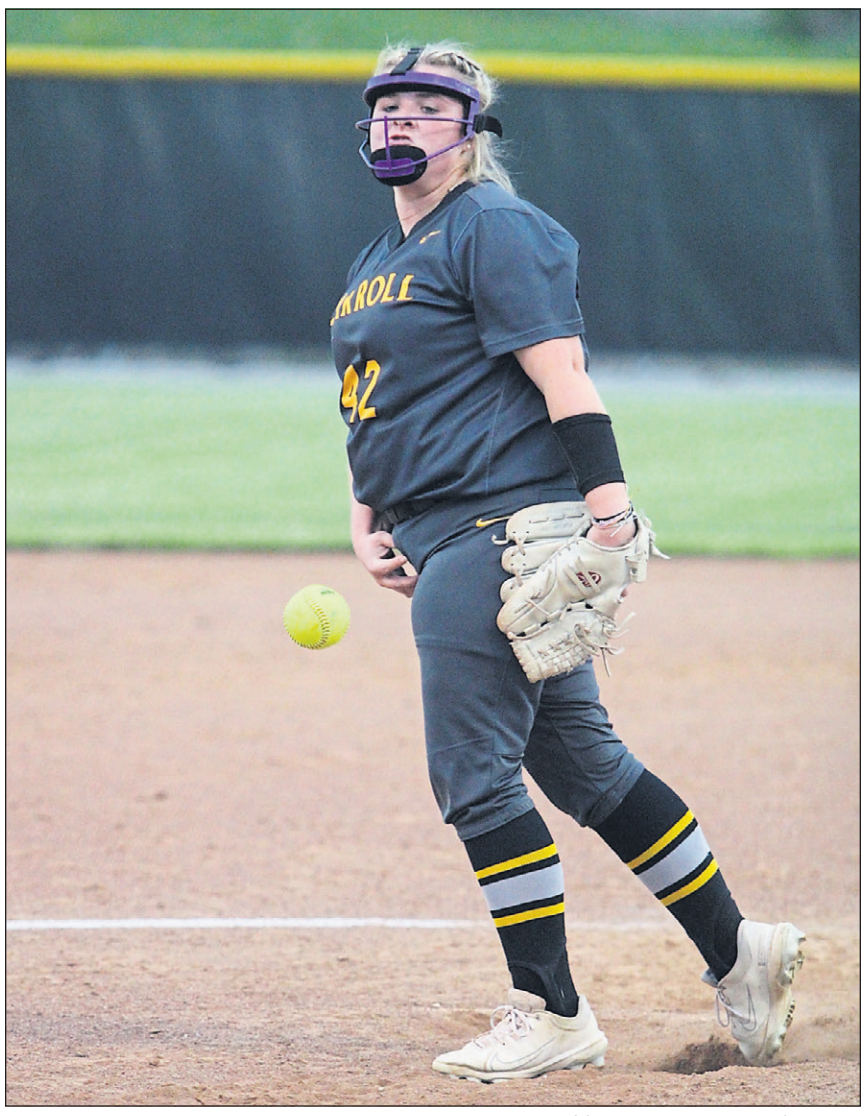
Henry County mounted a two out rally in the bottom of the fifth to score four runs and four more in the sixth.

Carroll County had stranded a runner on base in the top of the sixth.

Carroll was held to just three hits as Couch, Butler and Reagan Matthews each had singles for the Panthers. Rose had the lone RBI.

Mallory Noble allowed three earned runs on six hits in five innings and took the loss. She struck out three batters and walked three.

Carroll, now 6-9 overall, falls to 3-2 in the North Central Kentucky Conference and 3-5 in the 31st District. The Panthers travel to Eminence on Tuesday, head to Walton-Verona on Wednesday and host Eminence on Thursday.



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Shawe holds off South Ripley for 9-8 win

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Shawe fended off a late comeback by South Ripley to post a 9-8 win in baseball Thursday in Versailles.

The Hilltoppers led 3-0 after the first inning and took a 9-3 lead into the bottom of the sixth when Ripley began chipping away. The Raiders scored three runs in the sixth and two more in the seventh to pull within one when pitcher Philip Kahn stranded the tying run at third with a popup to claim the win.

Kahn and Eric Liu each went 2-for-4 with two runs scored for the Hilltoppers while Tyler Hill had a triple, three RBIs and a run scored. Wyatt Nichter had a hit, an RBI and scored twice, and Jacob Hertz and Traevin Liston each had a hit and scored a run.

Hertz started on the hill and picked up the win after giving up two earned runs on five hits in six innings with six strikeouts and three walks. Kahn allowed two earned runs on four hits in an inning of relief and earned the save.

Shawe, now 7-6 overall and 2-5 in the Ohio River Valley Conference, hosted Switzerland County on Monday, hosts Jac-Cen-Del on Wednesday and travels to Trinity Lutheran on Thursday.

Trimble baseball drops 2 lopsided games

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Trimble County's baseball suffered a pair of lopsided losses at home late last week.

On Thursday, the Raiders lost a 10-0 decision to Eminence in a 31st District seed game. On Friday, Trimble lost 13-2 to former North Central Kentucky Conference rival Lloyd Memorial.

Trimble managed just two hits in the loss to Eminence: singles by Bray Taylor and Alejandro Maldonado. Charlie Liter took the loss on the mound after allowing four earned runs on six hits in five innings with seven strikeouts and three walks.

Trimble got three hits in the loss to Lloyd. Brayden Wilson was 2-for-3 with a double while Masen O'Neal had a single and scored a run. Nate Hance had an RBI and Sam Galloway scored a run.

Wilson started on the hill and allowed 11 runs on three hits in three and a third innings, but only two of the runs scored against him were earned. He also struck out seven batters and walked five.

Trimble, now 3-15 overall, falls to 0-4 in NCKC play and 1-7 in the 31st District. hosts Owen County on Tuesday and travels to Owen County on Thursday. The Raiders then host Williamstown on Friday.

LOCAL LEAGUES

HANOVER MEN'S BASKETBALL LEAGUE

Sunday, April 30

Madison Tool Mean Machine 54, Layman Insurance 50 — Eric Reffett scored 25 points for the Mean Machine (4-3); Gunnar Henry had 16 for Layman (3-4).

Pattons Pistols 103, No Names 73 — Sawyer Williams had 22 points for Pattons Pistols (7-0); Dalton Tingle had 27 for the No Names (4-3).

Pistol City Shooters 78 , Too Cold 50 — Peyton Gwin had 27 points for the Shooters (3-4); Trent Potter had 20 for Too Cold (4-3).

Shipleys Presents Bomholts Boys 67, Showtime 58 — Foster Mefford had 25 points for Bomholts Boys (5-2); Chauncey May had 14 for Showtime (4-3).

The Nobodys 53, The Madison Basketball Team 51, OT — Deven Chatham had 34 points for The Nobodys (1-6); Caleb Bentley had 12 for Madison (0-7).

Carroll baseball ends long week with win over Western Hills

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Carroll County baseball wrapped up a busy week with a 13-3 win over Western Hills on Saturday.

The Panthers played four games in five days during the week to go 2-2 overall. After beating Henry County 15-0 on Tuesday, Carroll suffered a 6-4 loss to Henry on Thursday and lost 9-2 to Kentucky Country Day on Friday.

Carroll out-hit Henry County 8-4 but seven walks doomed the Panthers in the 6-4 loss on Thursday.

Dalten Wilson was 2-for-3 with a double and an RBI for Carroll, Aden Stephenson had a hit, an RBI and a run scored, Landon Isaacs, Braden Stephenson and Preston Snow each had a hit and scored a run, and Colton Dietz and Branon Battaglia each had a hits.

Isaacs gave up five earned runs on three hits in four innings and took the loss.

Carroll County had the same amount of hits as Kentucky Country Day and no errors but was again done in by walks in a 9-2 loss on Friday.

Battaglia had two hits and two RBIs, Aden Stephenson had two hits and scored a run, Zayne Satchwell had a hit and scored a run, and Isaacs, Braden Stephenson and Wilson each had hits.

Wilson took the loss after giving up six runs on four hits without getting an out.

Carroll's pitching finally equaled its hitting in the 13-3 win over Western Hills on Saturday.

Willhoite was 2-for-3 with a double, three RBIs and a run scored, Isaacs and Dietz each had two hits, drove in a run and scored twice, Snow had a hit and two RBIs, Aden Stephenson had a hit, an RBI and scored twice, Bryce Furnish had a hit and two RBIs, and Battaglia had a hit, an RBI and a run scored.

Satchwell picked up the win after allowing just one earned run on five hits in four innings with four strikeouts and six walks.

Carroll, now 10-11 overall, is now 2-2 in the North Central Kentucky Conference and 5-3 in 31st District play. The Panthers hosted Walton-Verona on Monday and travel to Eminence on Tuesday. Carroll then hosts Eminence on Thursday and heads to Pendleton County on Saturday.

As Derby 149 nears, Kentucky prepares for sports betting

BY GARY B. GRAVES
ASSOCIATED PRESS

LOUISVILLE, Ky. — The Kentucky Derby figures to draw 150,000-plus to Churchill Downs, with many beneath the Twin Spires impeccably dressed as they drink mint juleps, puff cigars and hope their bets on horse racing's marquee event pay off.

Countless more aim to cash in on Saturday's 149th Run For The Roses through online bets, although Kentucky's recent passage of sports wagering means residents of the Bluegrass State can look forward to betting on other sporting events digitally and in person by the fall.

At the very least, proponents of sports betting believe opening sportsbooks at statewide tracks and gaming facilities that feature slots-like historical horse racing (HHR) machines will generate tax revenue that was being lost to neighboring states with expanded gambling options. It's estimated to generate about $23 million annually in tax revenue and licensing fees, with a percentage earmarked for problem gambling and the state's public pension system.

In attracting people on other sporting events, the hope is those bettors will also check out live racing. It will also help bolster purse money that tracks point out have continued to grow.

"There's no revenue stream in the bill specifically for horse racing," Senate Majority Leader Damon Thayer said of the bill that passed the Republican-dominated chamber 25-12 on March 30. Democratic Gov. Andy Beshear quickly signed the measure into law, which takes effect on June 29.

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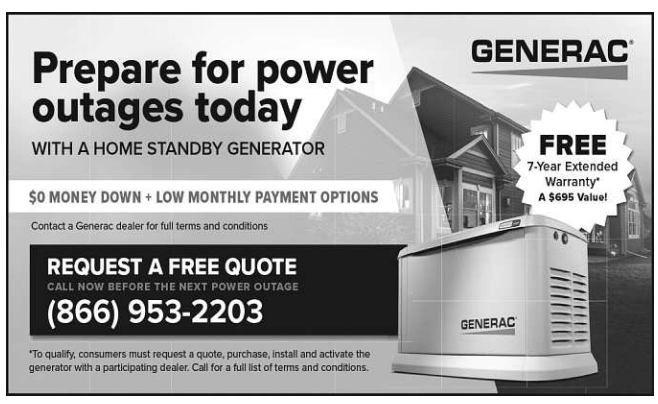
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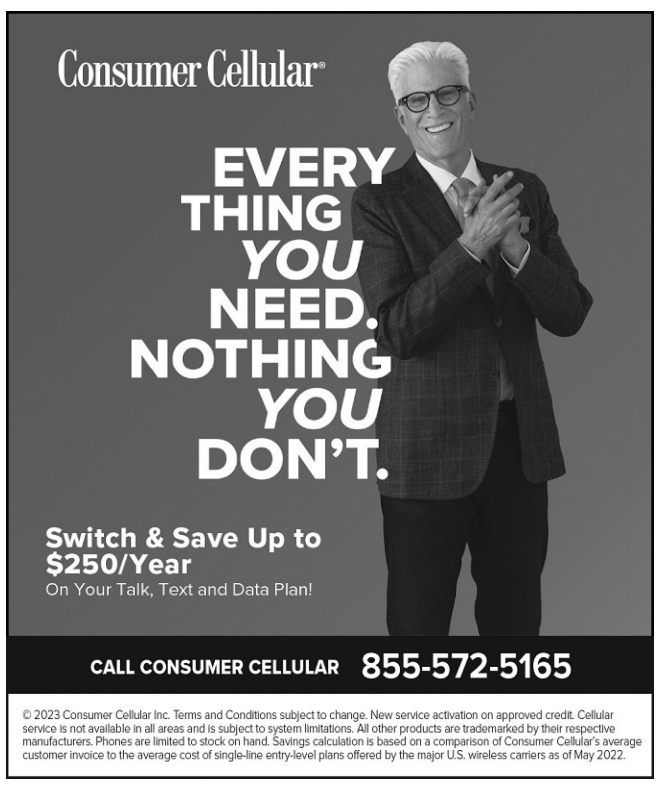
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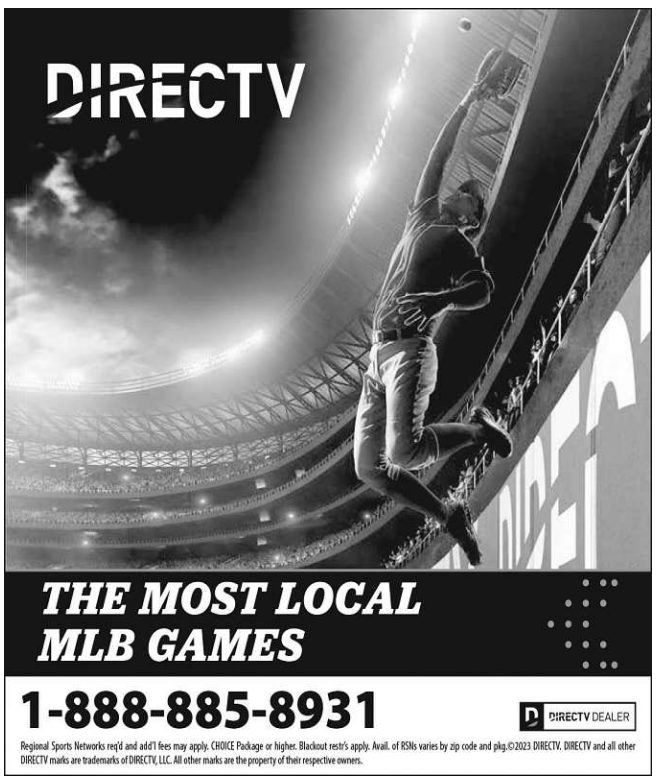
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Bengals again use early rounds of draft to focus on defense

BY KEITH JENKINS
ASSOCIATED PRESS

CINCINNATI — Cincinnati Bengals defensive coordinator Lou Anarumo stood up from the podium late Friday night and said his work for the NFL draft was complete.

Though Anarumo was joking, he wasn't too far off.

After taking a defensive player with each of their first three picks for the second straight draft, the Bengals used three of their final five picks Saturday to address offensive needs. They spent another one of those picks on a punter in the sixth round.

"I'm excited for how it shook out for us with the eight picks we had," Bengals coach Zac Taylor said. "I felt like we got value with all the players. Really excited to get them into the mix, and at the same time, it hit some needs that we had as well."

Despite needing depth at tight end, the Bengals elected to stand firm at that position. Taylor made it clear he believes free-agent signee Irv Smith Jr. can be the team's starter this upcoming season.

"By signing Irv and getting Drew (Sample) back, there's a lot of guys behind there that are going to provide some competition for depth," Taylor said.

"So we feel like they've all been trending in the right direction. ... We feel like we can get a lot out of that room."

Cincinnati already has depth at receiver. But the Bengals added two more potential options for quarterback Joe Burrow in Purdue slot receiver Charlie Jones (Round 4, 131st pick) and 2022 first-team All-Ivy League wideout Andrei Iosivas (Round 6, 206th pick) from Princeton.

The picks sparked a question about the future of Bengals current No. 1 slot option Tyler Boyd, who is entering the final year of his contract.

As questions loom at running back for Cincinnati, the Bengals added Chase Brown from Illinois in the fifth round. The London, Ontario, back won the Jon Cornish Trophy, presented annually to the top Canadian player in college football.

Joe Mixon, Cincinnati's top rusher each of the past six seasons, pleaded not guilty earlier this month to a misdemeanor charge of aggravated menacing over allegations that he threatened and pointed a gun at a woman in Cincinnati earlier this year.

Samaje Perine, Mixon's longtime backup and Cincinnati's reliable third-down option, signed with the Denver Broncos in free agency.

The Bengals still have familiar yet unproven options Trayveon Williams and Chris Evans in the backfield.

Brown adds a wealth of productivity at the college ranks to Cincinnati's running back room.

The Bengals added Michigan punter Brad Robbins in the sixth round to provide some competition for incumbent punter Drue Chrisman. Interesting enough, Chrisman is a graduate of Big Ten archival Ohio State.

Cincinnati ended its draft by grabbing Miami cornerback DJ Ivey at pick No. 246 in the seventh round.

What the Bengals needed most of all was a stronger pass rush.

They got it. Cincinnati introduced their 2023 draft headliner in first-round pick (28th overall) Myles Murphy on Saturday. The former Clemson defensive end, who will wear No. 99 for the Bengals, said he's already received text messages from veteran Cincinnati edge rushers Trey Hendrickson and Sam Hubbard.

Murphy said he's anxious to learn from the two ends and form a dynamic and unstoppable trio.

"Just fast and disruptive," he said. "Just putting every quarterback on notice."

Anarumo continued his focus on Michigan defensive backs, as Cincinnati selected former Wolverines cornerback DJ Turner II in the second round.

With Turner, the Bengals could have one of the fastest secondaries in the league. Turner was the fastest player at this year's scouting combine, posting a 4.26 40-yard dash.

Turner reunites with former Michigan teammate Dax Hill. The Bengals drafted Hill in the first round last April.

Speaking of safeties, Cincinnati lost both of its starters from a season ago — Jessie Bates (Atlanta Falcons) and Vonn Bell (Carolina Panthers) — in free agency. The Bengals used their third-round pick on Alabama safety Jordan Battle.

"They're a winning program, which was something I was hoping I got drafted into," Battle said. "Coming from Alabama, you're probably going to hear that a lot — a guy from Alabama that's joining a team that knows how to win."

The Bengals have won a lot over the past two seasons. They've won back-to-back AFC North championships and have cemented themselves as one of the top-tier teams in the NFL. But the franchise is still seeking its first Super Bowl win.

David Campbell

Madison's Claire Slygh returns a shot at No. 2 singles during her match at Southwestern on Wednesday.

TENNIS

FROM **PAGE B1**

On Saturday, April 22, Southwestern won three matches to win its third-straight Southern Indiana Conference Championship.

The Rebels beat Christian Academy of Indiana 5-0 in the opening round, Shawe 3-2 in the semifinals and Milan 4-1 in the championship.

All seven Rebels players earned all-conference honors with Barnes and the doubles team of Crawford and Hite going 3-0 on the day, and Hardy, Hatton and doubles team Gross and LaRue going 2-1.

"I'm just really proud of the all girls for their commitment and hard work as tennis is a short season and with graduation, prom, college visits and finals they have a lot going on and I appreciate their focus," Garrett said.

Shawe defeated Trinity Lutheran to claim third place with the Hilltoppers' Sarah Willhite going 2-0 on the day and earning all-conference honors.

Southwestern, now 11-1 on the season, traveled to Scottsburg on Monday and hosts New Washington on Tuesday.

Madison traveled to South Dearborn on Monday and hosts Austin on Tuesday. The Cubs travel to Milan on Wednesday.

HILLTOPPERS BEAT HENRYVILLE

Shawe's netters posted a 4-1 win over Henryville at home on Thursday.

The Hilltoppers picked up two wins in singles, with Lauren Grote knocking off Kelly Knox 6-1, 6-0 at No. 1 and Sarah Willhite beating Hannah Mitchell 6-0, 6-0 at No. 2. Kelley McClure lost 6-0, 6-1 to Gracie Belt at No. 3.

In doubles, Shawe's Autumn Lathrem and Carson Cooke defeated Alexis Marion and Laynee Robinson 6-1, 6-0 at No. 1 while Julia Leatherman and Megan Morrison beat Bria Tieken and Kara Elliot 6-3, 6-3 at No. 2.

Shawe, now 6-5 on the season, hosts South Dearborn on Thursday.

FINALS

FROM **PAGE B1**

Somerset scored three runs in the sixth and got the game-winner in the seventh to beat Trimble in the final game.

Chilton had two hits and two RBIs, Ginn and Holbrook each had two hits and a run scored, Stucker had a double and an RBI, Shelby Wright had a hit and an RBI and Kaylee Payton had a hit and scored a run.

Chilton gave up a run in a third of an inning of relief and was tagged with the loss.

Defending champ Owensboro Catholic (17-7) went 3-0 in pool play and then defeated Louisville Holy Cross 3-0 and Bracken County 5-2 in the semifinals before repeating as state champion 7-1 over Bethlehem in the finals.

Trimble, now 14-9 on the season, hosted Southwestern on Monday and hosts Owen County on Tuesday. The Raiders then host St. Henry on Wednesday and travel to Owen County on Thursday.

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